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Wednesday the state conservation commission ordered all its forest rangers on duty in the Adirondacks to attempt to trace the movement of the gas bag, after it left Wells, but up to a late hour Saturday night no trace or sign had been found.

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FIVE MEN DROWN

West Virginia Workmen Perish When Canoe Sinks.

CHARLESTON, W. Va.—Five mechanics employed at the naval ordnance plant in South Charleston, were drowned Saturday afternoon by the sinking of the over-crowded canoe in which they were crossing the Kanawha river from their place of employment to their homes in Dunbar, on the opposite shore. None of the bodies were recovered, altho U. S. marines from the government plants dragged the river until dark.

The accident occurred at work quitting time at the close of the half day. It is said the canoe-ferry was carrying 16 passengers, including the ferrymen. All but five saved themselves by swimming ashore. The five drowned:

Ernest Kirby, 16; Frank Woods, 24; Albert Bailey, 22; Garnet Womack, 28; Hebe Richardson, 22. All were residents of Dunbar, suburb of Charleston.

VOTE ON WAR BOARD TODAY

WASHINGTON.—Proponents of the senate resolution directing revival of the war finance corporation to help industry over the present period of falling prices planned a hearing of the measure in the house Saturday and obtain a vote, before adjournment by means of a rule limiting debate to two hours. Passage of the measure was regarded as assured, but the general opinion at the capitol was that President Wilson would veto the measure.

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Rumely was acquitted on three counts. He said he will appeal. The defendant accepted the verdict quietly, but with an indication of surprise. There had been a feeling that with the American war spirit, rapidly dying down, it would be difficult to convict Rumely on the strongest evidence.

The first steps have been taken toward disarmament. Even if the league has failed to find a mandatory for Armenians, it at least has found a mediator in President Wilson.

At the request of Herbert Hoover, the assembly voted approval and sympathy with the international effort in behalf of Europe's war stricken children.

SHOOTS GIRL, THEN KILLS SELF

American Commits Double Tragedy in City of London.

LONDON.—Efforts are being made by the police to communicate with relatives of George Augustus Kelly, of Omaha, Neb., who shot and killed himself Friday night, after fatally wounding Miss Sophie Taylor, a dancer, in the latter's apartment.

Kelly, who served in the British air service had since been connected with an American advertising agency here. He was said to have been infatuated with the girl for some time but recently she had been a great deal in the company of an army officer.

According to Miss Taylor's maid, Kelly accompanied her mistress home Friday night. They had a quarrel and the shooting followed.

Miss Taylor, who was known on the stage as "Baby," was 29 years old and Kelly was 30.

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They intended going, but no officials here are not certain. Possibly New Guinea. But even the South Seas are sometimes restless, and the motor boat with its love cargo tossed menacingly. The gasoline is low, the sky is low. But

the luring companion of cafe au lait and we're away in the breeze.

The maid was willing. A motor boat was commanded. The boat was stocked with provisions and it was set for the slopeman. Off they sailed, the four of them. Where

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No Jurisdiction Over Interurban Roads, Is Ruling.

MAY GO TO SUPREME COURT

Opinion Touches All Trolley Transportation Systems.

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The decision affects every electric interurban in the country and many city transportation systems owned by interurban companies.

APPEAL EXPECTED

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At one time the board negotiated with the federal government for the purchase of the government nitro plant near Cincinnati. Decision of the final selection lay between the Bucyrus location and farms near Crestline.

The farms purchased contain a number of fine dwelling houses, and one of these is said to be large enough to accommodate fifty children at once.

\$270 PER ACRE

The average price paid per acre was \$275. Practically all of the land is tillable, and if the deal meets final approval of state officials, it will be the largest farm of tillable land owned by the state.

Abstracts of deeds of the 19 farms will be presented at once to the attorney general for approval.

As Governor-elect Davis probably will appoint a new board soon after he is inaugurated, the construction work on the location will be done by his appointees.

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Varied and Sundry Political Themes for the Week

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Without bloodshed, indeed with scarcely a ripple to disturb the serenity of the political waters the "113 to 12" Republican legislature member caucused last week at Columbus, fixing up a slate that will go thru with a whirl when the more than 100 G. O. P. members of the Buckeye state legislative body get in action, gazing with a patronizing air upon the dozen Democrats who managed to evade the November 2 landslide.

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ly patient that Davis and his organization are out of tune with the importance in control of the G. O. P. committee in this county. But even stranger things have happened.

Roy E. Layton of Wapakoneta, an honored scion of an honored and respected family, a son of that eminent jurist, Judge Fernando C. Layton, over Wapakoneta-way, isn't at all astounded that announcement has been made of the choice of another to succeed him as Adjutant General of Ohio. Adjutant General Layton was appointed by Governor Cox and will remain with his chief until the closing hours of the present administration.

That makes a big difference. The public mind doesn't bother itself about remembering things any longer than necessary, but it is easy to recall the howl that ascended from the Republican camp when it was sought to extend the terms of Democratic officials by legislative enactment.

As said before, it was expected that the G. O. P. laddies would revive the plan, but nobody believed they would resurrect it before getting hold of the terms they seek to have enlarged or lengthened in the little matter of time of service. Consistency, we'll say!

Layton will be succeeded by Lieutenant Colonel George Florence of Circleville, designated for the place by Governor-elect Harry L. Davis. The outgoing General made for himself an enviable record in his official position. He is a veteran of the Spanish-American war and at the close of his term of service will likely retire to Wapakoneta to resume the practice of law as a partner of W. T. Copeland, where he was located before his appointment by Governor Cox.

A sigh of relief came from sun-dry and various persons, due to the fact that further stirring up of the county commissioners' muddle by court action is being held up until December 22. Justices of the Peace C. L. Durbin and E. M. Botkin spent several days in an investigation to determine whether there is sufficient ground for Walter W. Craig's claim for a four year term as commissioner being taken into common pleas court. Witnesses were summoned, election precinct records were ordered in and inquiry was made to determine if election judges counted votes for Johnson and Gray as Craig said they did, thus cheating him out of a four year term and handing him a two year tenure instead. Absence from the city of material witnesses was given as the cause. Thursday, for the postponement. Those G. O. P. boys in the commissioners' office threaten to so tangle up county affairs that when Thompson gets on the job next September he won't

have a moment to hang on" somehow are not losing an opportunity to plant posts for their fences, to be constructed later on.

No concerted move has been made in the open, mind you, for the control of the new plan more than a year away, but lines are being skillfully laid, the groundwork is being prepared and those present officials who seek to "hang on" somehow are not losing an opportunity to plant posts for their fences, to be constructed later on.

It doesn't require a political Sherlock Holmes to ferret out the reason—why because of certain moves made by certain persons, at certain times, in certain places and in a certain manner. If you don't know what is referred to, wait.

Since Republican candidates for county office were successful in many more places than ordinarily in Ohio in the last November election, it was to be expected that the adherents of that political faith would, at the psychological time, get behind a movement that they cussed and damned and yowled at the Democrats for starting a few years back. Reference is made to the plan of extending the terms of county offices. The Repubs were against such a skid, were adjusted for Jim and the skids were adjusted for Jim and our own Sam Fletcher was the beneficiary after the steam roller rumbling merrily onward.

The rank and file of the party in Allen-co is even now wondering just how it happened that a Lima man got even a lookin, since it is painful

to be the beneficiaries, you know and

COUNCIL TO SELECT HAMILTON'S SUCCESSOR

Council Monday night will select a nominee for the office of justice of the peace to fill the unexpired term of Justice J. H. Hamilton, who has resigned preparatory to assuming his duties as probate judge on February 8.

Attorney J. F. Emans and William H. Clayton are candidates.

TWO COUPLES MARRIED

Justices of the Peace E. L. Botkin officiated at two weddings Saturday. He performed the ceremony for Leonard R. Kuhler, 27, First St., and Martha M. Kessell, 18, both of 513 Findlay St., and Alvin C. Wiles, 21, printer, and Golda M. Morrison, 18, both of Clinton.

XMAS APPLES

Another car load of choice Michigan apples will be on sale on the

L. E. & W. TRACKS

\$1.50 per BU.

VINE STREET, SOUTH LIMA

Included are Baldwins and Spy's

Bring your sacks and baskets.

LECTURE

"The Jews Returning to Palestine, Millions now living will never die."



2 P. M.
Sunday,
Dec. 19th

SPECIAL
FOR
MONDAY
PECAN
ROLLS
25c
PAN
Federal
SYSTEM
OF BAKERIES
126 W. MARKET ST.

"In that day will I raise up the Tabernacle of David that is fallen and close up the breaches thereof, and I will raise up his ruins and I will build it as in days of old; And I will bring again the captivity of my people of Israel, and they shall build the waste cities and inhabit them, and I will plant them upon their land and they shall no more be pulled up out of their land which I

The Leader Store**The Leader Store**

Store Will Be Open Evenings 'Till Xmas Starting Tomorrow!
A Gift Directory for the Puzzled Xmas Buyers!

A Full Page of---WHAT TO GIVE?

The perplexing problem, WHAT TO GIVE—may be happily solved by this page of suggestions. The lists represents a great variety of time carefully picked from every department in the store and which are very appropriate for Christmas giving. However, even this page can give but a hint of the thousands of items that you will find awaiting you at this popular store.

**For Mother**

Boudoir Caps 69c to \$2.50
 Blouses 98c to \$2.50
 Bath Robes \$4.95 to \$12.50
 Camisoles \$1.25 to \$3.98
 Coats \$14.95 to \$50
 Cluny Centers, Priced \$2.98
 Comfort Shoes, \$3.98 to \$5.98
 Dresses \$13 to \$50
 Dresser Scarfs 98c to \$1.98
 Envelopes, 33c to \$3.50
 Fitted Cases \$2.50 to \$6.50
 Face Powders, 25c to \$1.75
 Gloves, 49c to \$5.95
 Hair Ornaments, 50c to \$1.25
 House Aprons, \$1.98 to \$3.98
 Ivory Toilet Goods
 25c to \$8.50
 Jewel Boxes 98c to \$6.98
 Manicure Sets 98c to \$4.98
 Neckwear, 49c to \$1.50
 Necklaces, 25c to \$6.50
 Petticoats, \$1.25 to \$5.95
 Philippine Underwear, \$2.95
 Silk Umbrellas, \$3.98 to \$15
 Sweaters, \$3.98 to \$6.98
 Silk Stockings, 69c to \$4.50
 Silks, 98c to \$5.98
 Standard Woolens
 98c to \$5.98
 Veils, 25c to \$1.98
 Woolen Hosiery
 \$1.59 to \$2.48
 Boston Bags, \$2.98 to \$15
 Boudoir Lamps, \$3.50 to \$15
 Cedar Chests \$22.50 to \$49.50
 Carpet Sweepers
 \$5.95 to \$10.95
 Floor Lamps, \$19.50 to \$35
 Marvel Sweepers, \$17.50
 Rugs, \$1.19 to \$150
 Table Lamps, \$19.50 to \$35

For Dad

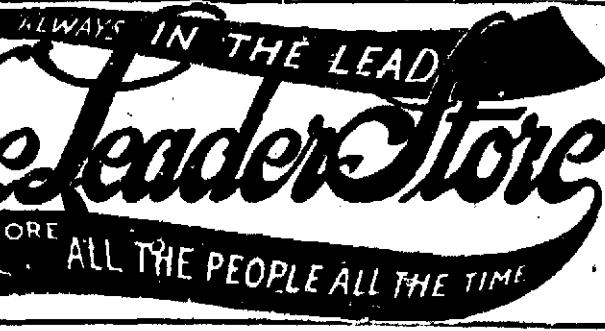
Ash Trays, 98c to \$4.98
 Bath Robes, \$5.95 to \$10.50
 Belts, 50c to \$1.50
 Blankets, \$1.49 to \$3.95
 Caps, \$1.19 to \$2.95
 Dress Shoes, \$4.95 to \$7.95
 Gloves, 7c to \$3.50
 Handkerchiefs, 5c to 50c
 House Slippers \$1.47 to \$3.95
 Mufflers, 95c to \$4.50
 Shaving Sets, \$1.50 to \$7.50
 Shirts, \$1.19 to \$7.95
 Sweaters, \$1.69 to \$9.95
 Hosiery, 19c to \$1.50
 Neckwear, 95c to \$1.50
 Rain Coats, \$6.95 to \$11.95
 Overcoats, \$20 to \$30
 Suspenders, 49c to \$1
 Watch Chains, \$1.50
 Traveling Bags, \$3.95 to \$45
 Suit Cases, \$1.95 to \$50
 Trunks, \$9.95 to \$65
 Tourist Sets, \$1.50 to \$7.50
 Suits, \$15 to \$35

For Uncle

Ash Trays, 98c to \$4.98
 After-Shaving Cream,
 29c to 50c
 Bath Robes, \$5.95 to \$10.50
 Belts, 50c to \$1.50
 Caps, \$1.19 to \$2.95
 Gloves, 49c to \$3.50
 Umbrellas, \$1.98 to \$5.95
 Handkerchiefs, 5c to 50c
 Overcoats, \$20 to \$30
 Pajamas, \$1.98 to \$3.98
 Neckwear, 95c to \$1.50
 Sweaters, \$1.69 to \$9.95
 Shaving Sets, \$1.50 to \$7.50
 Underwear, \$1.19 to \$3.98
 Traveling Bags, \$3.95 to \$45
 Suit Cases, \$1.95 to \$10
 Trunks, \$9.95 to \$65
 Dress Shoes, \$4.95 to \$7.95
 Mufflers, 95c to \$4.50
 House Slippers \$1.47 & \$1.97

For The Kiddie

Bath Robes, \$1.25 to \$1.98
 Booties, 49c to \$1
 Bibs, 39c to \$1.75
 Baby Blankets, 98c to \$3.98
 Bassinettes, \$3.95 to \$8.95
 Baby Bunting \$2.98 to \$6.95
 Baby Bonnets, 98c to \$2.98
 Caps, 98c to \$2.98
 Capes, \$2.98 to \$5.98
 Coats, \$3.98 to \$8.95
 Creepers, 98c to \$2.98
 Celluloid Toys, 15c to 75c
 Comb and Brush Sets, \$1.25
 Carriage Covers,
 \$2.98 to \$4.95



BRING THIS
 MESSAGE
 WHEN YOU DO
 YOUR SHOPPING

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

Beginning tomorrow evening the Leader Store will be open every night thereafter until 9 o'clock. This will simply help those who are unable to shop during the regular hours to purchase Christmas wants. Four big floors of Christmas merchandise at popular prices. Thousands of appropriate gifts that will be appreciated and acceptable—remember you can shop evenings all next week.

**For Little Sister**

Bath Robes, \$4.95 to \$8.95
 Coats, \$7.95 to \$20
 Dresses, \$2.95 to \$12.50
 Sweaters, \$1.49 to \$3.98
 Middy Blouses, 98c to \$6.95
 Night Gowns, 98c to \$12.98
 Knitted Skirts, 85c to \$3.98
 Gloves, 29c to \$1.59
 Hosiery, 25c to 75c
 Handkerchiefs, 5c to 50c
 Suspenders, 49c to \$1
 Sweaters, \$1.69 to \$9.95
 Hose Supporters, 35c to 75c
 Wool Shirts, \$1.98 to \$6.98
 Wardrobe Trunks,
 \$37.50 to \$65

For Sister

For Auntie
 Angora Scarfs \$3.98 to \$10.50
 Hand Bags, 98c to \$25
 Camisoles, \$1.25 to \$3.98
 Chemise, \$1.98 to \$5.95
 Djer Kiss Toilet 29c to \$1.75
 Envelopes, 33c to \$3.98
 Rain Coats, \$6.95 to \$11.95
 Neckwear, 95c to \$3.50
 Underwear, \$1.19 to \$3.95
 Traveling Bags, \$3.95 to \$45
 Suit Cases, \$1.95 to \$50
 Trunks, \$9.95 to \$45
 Night Robes, \$1.19 to \$3.98
 Shirts, \$1.19 to \$6.95
 Sweaters, \$1.69 to \$9.95
 Shaving Cream, 25c to 75c
 Gloves, 49c to \$3.50
 Suspenders, 49c to \$1

For Brother
 Bath Robe Blankets,
 \$3.50 to \$9.95
 Hosiery, 19c to \$1.50
 House Slippers \$1.97 to \$3.95
 Neckwear, 95c to \$3.50

For Toyland
 Doll Carriages,
 \$3.45 to \$27.50
 Dolls, 25c to \$25
 Tool Chests, 98c to \$10
 Shoo-Flys, \$1.98 to \$10
 Kiddie Kars, \$1.69 to \$6.00
 Tricycles, \$2.95 to \$30
 Office Furniture,
 \$11.95 to \$24.45
 Blocks, 25c to \$5.00
 Games, 10c to \$5.00
 Books, 10c to \$3.00
 Tin Dishes, 25c to \$2.00
 Erector Sets, \$2.00 to \$15.00
 Pool Tables, \$4.98 to \$16.95
 Chairs, 49c to \$8.00
 Telephones, 35c to \$1.00
 Cutter Sleds, \$2.25 to \$6.00
 Electric Trains, \$5.95 to \$15
 Toy Pianos, \$1.25 to \$10
 Black Boards, 98c to \$7
 Furniture, \$2.98 to \$24.98
 Rockers, 59c to \$7.00
 Hobby Horses, \$1.98 to \$6.98
 Fire Department 25c to \$4.95
 Acrobatic Jackie, \$1.39
 Drums, 98c to \$4.98
 Wagons, \$1.98 to \$10
 China Dishes, 98c to \$5.95

For Grandpa

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 Caps, \$1.19
 Underwear, 98c to \$1.39
 Suits, \$5.95 to \$15
 Overcoats, \$3.98 to \$10.95
 Neckwear, 49c
 Hats, \$1.98 to \$3.98
 Raincoats, \$4.95 and \$3.98
 Bath Robes, \$4.95
 Sweaters, \$1.50 to \$10
 Handkerchiefs, 5c to 50c
 Belts, 25c and 35c
 Shoes, \$2.89 to \$4.95
 Dress Shirts, 95c to \$2.50

Do Your Christmas Shopping Monday

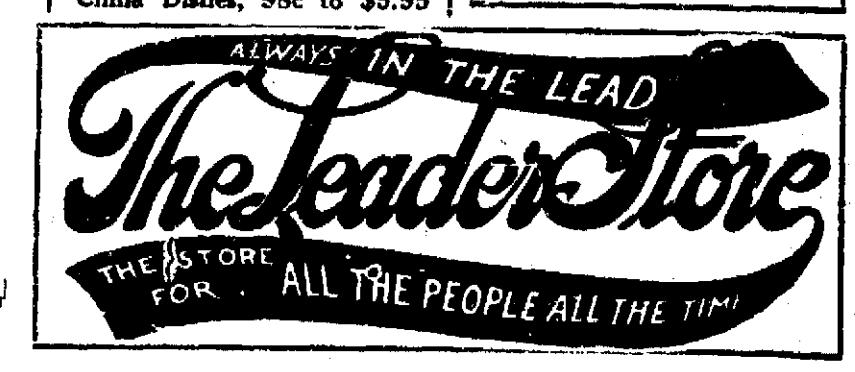
*Do you Christmas shopping Monday,
 Don't you know it's almost here?
 Have your presents boxed and ready,
 Don't wait like you did last year.
 Then you will have more time to purchase
 If you start right in today,
 Get your choice while things are newest,
 It is much the better way.*

*Think about the toiling thousands
 Who behind the counters stand,
 Serving you with smiling faces
 In the shops throughout the land.
 You can better their conditions
 If you heed this slogan true:
 "Do your Christmas shopping Monday"
 And you'll find it easy, too.*

*If you've troubles, just forget them,
 'Tis a season of good cheer;
 Get that real Yuleide spirit
 As the holidays draw near.
 Just a few more days 'till Christmas,
 And how fast the moments fly,
 So get busy, do your shopping
 If you've anything to buy.*



*Only Five
 Shopping Days
 Till Xmas*



OFFICE SEEKERS MARK TIME

Harding and Davis Grow Irritable, Job Hunters Say

WARREN HARD TO APPROACH

Income Tax Ghost Stalks Abroad
As An Annoyance

(BY MARCUS)

COLUMBUS — Concerning these stories that Senator Warren G. Harding is harder than ever to approach — and such tales are going about, fostered as they are by letters not intended for newspaper publication — it must be recalled that the President-elect is no longer a mere candidate for office, with only criticism to make his predecessor and only plaus for votes, but that he is now standing before big decisions which will make or break his administration. The old vacation days are over the campaign days are a memory and even Marion is prepared to slip back into an occasional date line, such as it may get when the President comes home on a visit or there is a fire, a shooting or some other incident of special significance. The time is soon at hand when the views of all the "best minds" will be known and the "one mind" must come to a decision. And the man who must make that decision must commune much with his conscience and, the American people will hope, with his Maker.

Those who expected the President-elect to be a good fellow always, playing a tuba for visiting theatricals, slapping friends on the back and listening to the woes of peccy politicians and to the complaints of angry income-tax payers, may bear their own humiliation. From the time that vacation was over there was only one question that interested the body of the American people and that was what Senator Harding intended to do. How the seekers for favors feel is a matter of little concern and will never keep the public awake at night. So the average citizen will wish the disappointed will wish their worries and their backsliding gossip that Senator Harding is no longer the old "Warren" that they know and is now impatience of trifles. That was not clearly perceived but there comes a time when all things must change. And that hour has come at Marion. The demand for a statement of international and domestic policy becomes more vocal each day as the threat of stagnation becomes more of a menace and as farmers and manufacturers with things to sell long more evidently for markets. Small wonder, a President-elect with a problem cannot be troubled by that small fry.

There are so many things to be thought of, too, these days besides the League of Nations and patronage. For instance, there are the taxes from which relief was anticipated. They do not promise to reduce themselves and tax money is harder than ever to raise. Even at the courthouses throughout Ohio in these December days the lines are not as long as they have been, testifying to the fact that money to hand thru the window is not as easy to get as it was a year ago. In the face of such circumstances, one cannot but wonder why anyone expected a President soon to take office to sit and grin all day long like a chessy cat as if he had nothing to do but be pleasant to all. It has not yet been said that the same sort of conduct can be charged against Governor-elect Harry L. Davis but his time, too, will soon come. All he has to do is wait and those not hearing every word will urge that the old fellow has become cold to them and will no more listen to reason.

Davis' forte at this time seems to be to ascertain what the majority want and being for that thing and this plan may work well until there comes a time when the majority wants to follow and not lead. Some experience around a legislative body would give the action that a body rarely leads in anything, but it depends upon the Governor for guidance. Reminds one a little of what old Allen G. Thurman used to do. The Democratic party of his day, which was that it never allowed a man to get more than four feet high before it whacked his head off. So, too, with law-making bodies. The members will not consent to one of their own number getting too tall and leadership becomes next to impossible. Strange enough the poor things never got so jocund of a Governor, altho we did once hear that the man now rounding out his third term was a dictator. Really, tho, that was only because he did the leading so easily they never knew how it was done.

As intended to be intimated, adjusting little disputes about positions is an easy matter compared to blocking out major policies and naming the right sort of men for big places. Davis will have an unusual amount of picking to do, tendency toward resignations growing apace. There seems to be sentiment that men who have served with Governor Cox and with him helped to put into effect progressive propositions, wish to lay down official care with him. It is a pride which speaks volumes for the hold he has had on his own administration that many men wish to have it known that they came with him and went with him. In this policy George Ewing of Lancaster set the pace as he told of Cox's devotion to classified civil service and as plainly left a doubt as to the intentions of the successor in office.

For courage, let us doff our hats in silent salute to the employees of the various state departments, for they possess it in manifold degree. There never were so many outside candidates for places than there are now and yet those on the inside looking at the treasured mob seeking admittance ask the general assembly to continue the bonus of the 1926 bonus which is good until June 30, 1927, for another two years. The bonus amounts to twenty bones a month and it is argued that even

when it is in force the state of Ohio is a penurious employer, paying smaller salaries than many of the two-by-four states. Frequently, in these columns information has been given to show Ohio is economically conducted, but nearly every new executive thinks he is going to reduce expenses. Where that idea originates only Heaven knows. The other side of the bonus proposition was furnished by Representative Lytle, of Medina, who was here last week attending his party caucus as a member of the special committee last year, Lytle was for being paid but now he says that prices of commodities are coming down and the normal salaries will buy more. Incidentally, it was stated that those are others who will serve if the threatened white-coat resignations become actualities.

"Honest John," Kramer, Richland-co's pride and joy, only smiled in a gummy manner when he was confronted with the proposition last week that the officials of the Ohio anti-saloon league will ask for his retention from office under the Harding administration. Knowing the real love that the politicians entertain for the League leaders (when they do not need them), John sort of wondered in his own way whether the thing was intended as a knock or a boost. He was also puzzled to know how far his friends will go to urge the matter on Senator Harding or whether, after all, it was an inexpensive way to josh him. As a shrewd Ohioan, Kramer did not ask for an extension on his apartment lease in Washington on the strength of it. He knows there are too many familiar persons in this nation for the next administration to permit a Democrat to hold a \$7,500 place. Still his retention would be the finest proof that the country would not be treated to a hypocritical evasion of the law involving a pretended enforcement while dealing back stairs with the army of bootleggers and Hill-bil diners who thrive even despite the vigilance of Honest John.

In the convention of the anti-saloon league here last week there was brought out the difference in the inner councils which has been raging for several weeks. Some of the Leaguers did not want a state enforcement department, especially since it was to be named by Governor-elect Harry L. Davis and the said so quite frankly. The faction willing to "go along" with Davis in his demand for one prevailed and William Miller, of Muskingum, kisself himself out of the task of sponsoring the necessary bill. It will be introduced by Senator Burke of Lorain. Three sets of officials will then be authorized to snoop around looking for that which cheers, the federal officers, in two sections — enforcement and revenue — not to mention the district attorneys; the state enforcement officers and the local police, constables, sheriffs and prosecutors. They are supposed to co-operate. What will probably happen is that the local officers will do even as Hon. Miller did. They can just back out of the situation, considering that the state has taken over the job. All the officers complained that the citizens who voted for the law seldom lift a finger to aid in its enforcement. Strange isn't it?

One of the things that the incoming General Assembly might do would be to constitute a committee to make a study of the crime situation in Ohio. There is a widespread impression that it is due to the indeterminate sentence law and Rev. J. W. Gorrell, Carroll-co representative, will ask for its repeal. But the good doctor-shopped a bit when he was asked whether he would repeal the law providing for suspended sentences by trial judges. There has never been a detailed study as to the operation of this law. Gorrell opposes all paroles, but it never occurred to him to inquire when or more crimes were committed by men under suspended sentences than those who have been on parole. The fact seems to be that most of the major crimes these days is committed by callow youths, a large percentage of whom never before have been under accusation. Nor does the crime wave depend upon local laws, the entire nation being in the grip of a form of banditry. Reaction from the war, the intoxication that attends a peculiar form of prosperity, economic displacement and other factors might be studied, too.

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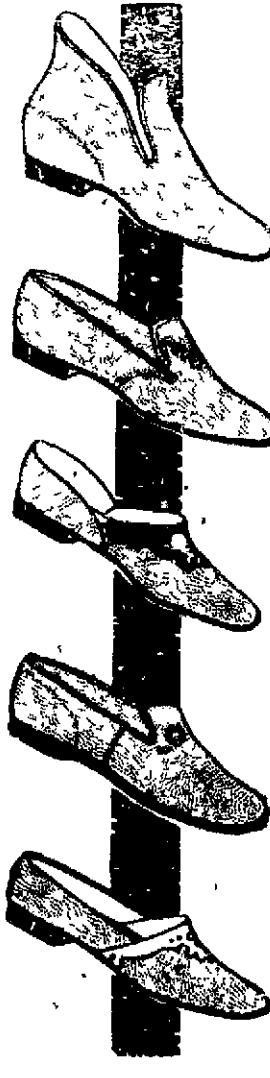
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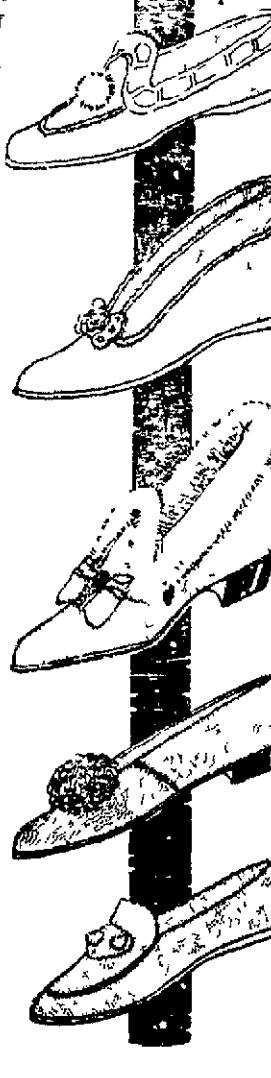
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soles in black and brown, all sizes.

GRAFT CHARGED IN ROAD WORK

**Alleged Contractors' Combine in
Tokio to Be Probed.**

TOKIO—Because it cost \$9,720 (\$8,860) to run a steam roller over the new pebble roadway leading to Tokio's new national shrine, in honor of the late Emperor Meiji, the opposition political party here is investigating the alleged graft of a contractors' combine, allied with the municipal authorities.

To date, the Mayor of Tokio, Viscount Tajiri, is said to have offered his resignation, two members of the Section of Street Improvements have been called frequently by the criminal investigation department, and a general investigation in certain municipal departments has been demanded as the result of the exposures.

It is stated that five contractors for the building of roads who had been doing business with the municipality of Tokio for years, allied themselves with the political party in control and as a consequence \$10 (Y30) was mysteriously absorbed in each cubic foot of roads that were built in Tokio. It is stated that this \$10 was the amount of graft of every six cubic feet of roads that were constructed.

Some of the members of the nobility may be connected with the civic graft if latest information is correct.

OHIO MINERS VOTE FOR UNION OFFICERS TODAY

COLUMBUS—The 45,000 organized miners in Ohio will vote Sunday on candidates for district, sub-district, sub-district and international officers of the United Mine Workers of America.

In Ohio the fight centers about William Thompson and Lee Hall, both of the Cambridge sub-district, for the office of state president. Hall holds the office now. He succeeded John Moore, who resigned several months ago. Next in importance in the state is the fight between John Saxton, of the Salineville district and William Roy, president of the Bridgeport sub-district for the vice-presidency of the state. The office is now occupied by Saxton.

SUCH IS LIFE

DENMARK TAKES ARMENIAN MANDATE

When Doctor Cobb came bringing The North Pole on his back, It's tuffing got to stringing, Its paint began to crack; Doc took it in his noggin To chuck the sad remains; He went to Copenhagen And chucked 'em at the Danes.

The day the "peace ship" started, And bore a single band, To Denmark it was charted The Sweden saw it land.

Since Hamlet was begotten No Dame has passed the buck, There's always "something rotten" in Denmark's run o' buck.

The league has trimmed Armenia, Till it's a real disgrace;

To Uncle Sam, the meek old lamb, They brought this luckless case.

But Sam refused, he thought it Held nought but aches and pains, And now the Danes have got it.

Those melancholy Danes

The way they pass everything along to the Danes reminds me of the chicken neck at Bill Dan's Starcher's house on Half Moon Mountain. Whenever they had a chicken Ma Starcher carved. When she came to the neck she held a plumbline to see who got it. "Do you want it, Sal?" "No" "Do you, Jeff?" "Do you want this neck, Buster?" "Naw." "Well," says Ma, "I don't want it. Fap you'll have to eat it." They all had a chance to vote no except Pap. Their negative put it onto him and he positively had to eat it.

What is wrong with education? President Butler's report indicates that it is all wrong. He has lost faith in it entirely.

He is like Aleck Stimmens, who put his faith in Providence. His neighbor's timber was destroyed by fire. But Aleck had a water mill and the river saved it. "Providence favors us," he told his wife. Then the bright cut the grain crop in two. "I got my grain thru mill toll," Aleck said, "so Providence has again favored us." Later that summer the corn crop was burning up and the farmers prayed for rain. The rain came and saved the corn, but it washed Aleck's mill into the river. When Aleck saw his mill was gone he went to his wife weeping: "Taking it up one side and down the other," he complained, "there's just about as much harm in Providence as there is good."

Dr. Butler is now ready to believe that taking it up one side and down the other, there is just about as much harm in education as there is good.

Kewpie Collender, the prize fighter, is a friend of Babe Ruth. Why are so many ball players and girls named "Babe" and "Kewpie"? These are names applied by coddling mothers, and such coddling gives the boys the necessary leisure to acquire proficiency in baseball and vacate for golfism.

I knew a young man named Babe Grisby. The constable caught him robbing a tobacco store. Papa Grisby then took Babe's education out of mamma's hands; he worked him for a month, pounding rocks on the farm. "Babe" is now a rich cattlemen, but his name is Henry.

WHY DON'T YOU BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS CANDIES AT CHAS. M. THORNGOOD'S CANDY SHOP, 210-211 E. WAYNE ST.

FOUND -- THE GATE TO HOOCH

Port Hill, Idaho.—This town has 35 residents, seven houses, a depot and two stores. But Port Hill has a reputation all its own.

It is where the bootleggers "leg it" across the international line for that which keeps them in business.

Port Hill stands on the Idaho side of the international line between British Columbia and the United States. On the other side

whisky is very cheap. Spokane and other smaller towns in the neighborhood are willing to pay a good profit to bootleggers.

The United States has no officials at Port Hill; the Canadian officials say it is none of their business to check the outgoing booze; the Idaho prohibition director says it's out of his jurisdiction.

When these conditions are added to the

fact that there is a heavy forest suitable for hiding smuggled hooch when necessary, surrounding the village, it can easily be seen why Port Hill is popular with the bootleggers.

Residents frankly say they know smuggling is going on, but say "It's none of our business."

‘SALVATION NELL’ MAN IS RUN OVER BY MOVING HOUSE

Friend of Friendless Serving Eighteen Months' Sentence.

SAN FRANCISCO—Life is not now as bleak as it has been for the men in San Quentin prison. A ray of bright sunshine has flooded the prison halls since the friend of the friendless, who will cheer these women. "Salvation Nell" has started an 18 months' sentence, imposed upon her when she pleaded guilty to a violation of the Harrison narcotic act.

"Salvation Nell" says that she is taking her punishment, while others are more guilty of the offense for which she was sentenced, because she does not want to "snitch." She is a Scotch woman and vigorously denounces "snitches" and "scabs."

Since the fire of 1906 "Salvation Nell" has conducted sailors' lodging houses. Her husband is a seafaring man. Before entering the prison she stated that it was her earnest wish to see the drug traffic broken up, and that she herself had paid for the "cures" of three wined addicts.

"Salvation Nell" has three establishments—a sailors' lodging house at No. 82 Perry-st; an apartment at No. 143 Seventh-st; a flat at No. 145 Gough-st. She learned the dope game at No. 82 Perry-st, she says—saw others in the house handling it, saw them making easy money—and the temptation was too great for her.

Narcotic inspectors, ever seeking caches of forbidden drugs, found that Mrs. Berry was making numerous trips between No. 82 Perry-st, No. 143 Seventh-st and No. 145 Gough-st. She was watched. On September 18, at the Gough-st apartment, 26 ounces of morphine and cocaine were found.

"I never owned that quantity of dope," Mrs. Berry declared. But it was found in my apartment. I had either to admit it was mine or tell to whom part of it belonged.

"I could have gotten off easier if I had told. They begged me to tell. But I'm no stool pigeon. It was a stool pigeon who betrayed me. I took the whole blame because I could not, for the life of me, betray other persons."

A school boy's code of honor cropping out in a grown woman? "Salvation Nell" says that's her code—never to "scab," never to "snitch."

She says she would like to see the drug traffic broken up, that she would like to help break it up. But there never will be any breaking up by arresting, fining and sending to prison the "small fry" in San Francisco and other cities who handle the forbidden stuff.

"As long as the stuff can be smuggled in," she declared, "there will be people who will sell it. There is no good trying to confiscate the supply. The way to kill the thing is to shut it off at the source."

"I made money selling the stuff, but not big money. The money is made by those who smuggle it in, by big dealers, who have thousands of dollars behind them, and by the peddlers."

"I gave away more dope than I sold during the three months I was handling it. And I sold only to adults."

Mr. Barry is the first San Francisco woman to be sentenced to prison for trafficking in drugs.

PREFER'S PRISON CELL TO HUSBAND'S HOME

WESTFIELD, Mass.—Offered the choice between two years in the House of the Good Shepherd and returning to her husband, Jennie Rogalski, 17 years old, chose the cell. "I would rather spend 100 years in the House of the Good Shepherd than one day with that man," she told the court which a short time before had tried her for forgery.

She said she had been forced to marry Cosmo Bianchi, of Hartford, by her father at Rocky Hill, Conn., and that she had only lived with him three days.

CHUGWATER, Wyo.

—Fred Royal, fort five, sustained serious injuries here when he was run over by a four-room house.

The building, being transported across town on wheels, ran over Royal when the latter stumbled as he was crossing the street in front of the structure. It was necessary to "jack" the house up in order to extricate Royal.

LODGE NOTICES

Members of Cedar Grove No. 24, Woodmen Circle will hold a meeting Monday evening, December 26, at 7 o'clock. Meeting will be short, in order that members may attend W. O. W. social.

Lima Review No. 43, L. O. T. M. will entertain the Juniors Tuesday evening. A Christmas grab bag will be the feature of the evening.

Ladies of the G. A. R. will hold a special meeting at the Memorial hall Monday evening. Installation of officers. All members requested to be present.

Officers and members of Protected Home Circle, will meet at Morris Arcade, Sunday, December 19, at 2 o'clock, to go to the McClain home, 818 Atlantic-ave., to hold services for Louis Kepnel, deceased. Members will attend funeral at 10 o'clock Monday.

Eugene O'Keefe was elected president of Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, at the meeting Friday evening. J. J. O'Connor was elected vice-president.

Other officers elected were C. C. Sullivan, financial secretary; Thomas J. Gorman, recording secretary; James Donohue, treasurer; Philip Bracero, sergeant-at-arms; Patrick Lehay, sentinel.

In January, Divisions No 1 and No. 2 will hold a public installation of both division officers.

FUNERAL TODAY

Funeral services for Miss Lydia Snell, 22, who died Thursday in Fostoria, will be held from the Sugar Creek church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

A. I. U. NOTICE

Lima Chapter No. 6, A. I. U. will have a Christmas tree and entertainment for the members and juniors Thursday evening, December 23.

Every Junior should be present.

Order to receive a present and treat.

There will be candy, nuts, popcorn and apples for all.

McCormick made a good impression in French government circles.

A group of French editors gave a luncheon in his honor Saturday. He expects to return to Paris before sailing for New York.

The well-known geologist, after telling of the diamonds, went on his way to look for something else.

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SENATE IN CLASH OVER VACATION

Two Weeks Holiday Proposition
Meets Strong Opposition

RECORD VOTE MAY RESULT

Row is Led by Senators Smoot
and Thomas.

WASHINGTON — Plans of senate leaders to take a two-weeks vacation beginning Monday, were blocked Saturday by the determined opposition of a small group of senators who have long fought the congressional custom of holiday recesses.

The effort to stop legislative wheels until January 3, is to be renewed Monday, unless it develops that senators do not care to put themselves on record as favoring a tie-up of the legislative machinery, merely to give themselves a vacation within two weeks of the beginning of the session. Opponents of the long recess served notice Saturday they will demand a record vote.

VACATION FOUGHT
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32x4 Non Skid	\$26.04 and a Tube Free
33x4 Non Skid	\$27.36 and a Tube Free
34x4 Non Skid	\$28.08 and a Tube Free

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In case of bank robbery, a riot or any other sensational emergency in which lives were at stake or a vast sum of money threatened by robbers, how do you think the police department would function?

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In this room, on one side, artistically arranged, are 12 sawed-off shot-guns, loaded for service; a number of full sized 20-gauge shot-guns; two shelves full of shells and all kinds of ammunition, with, be-

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\$12 Brown Suede Top Shoes	\$9.55
\$10 Black Kid Shoes	\$5.95
\$8 Brown Calf Shoes	\$4.55
\$5 Black Kid Shoes	\$4.55
All Black Shoes	\$4.55

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All \$2.00 Shoes	\$1.50
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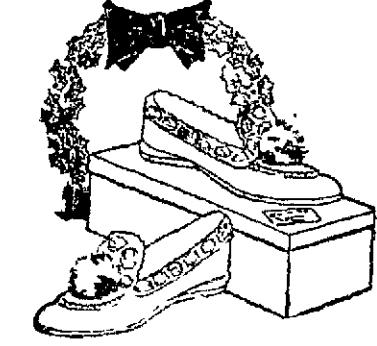


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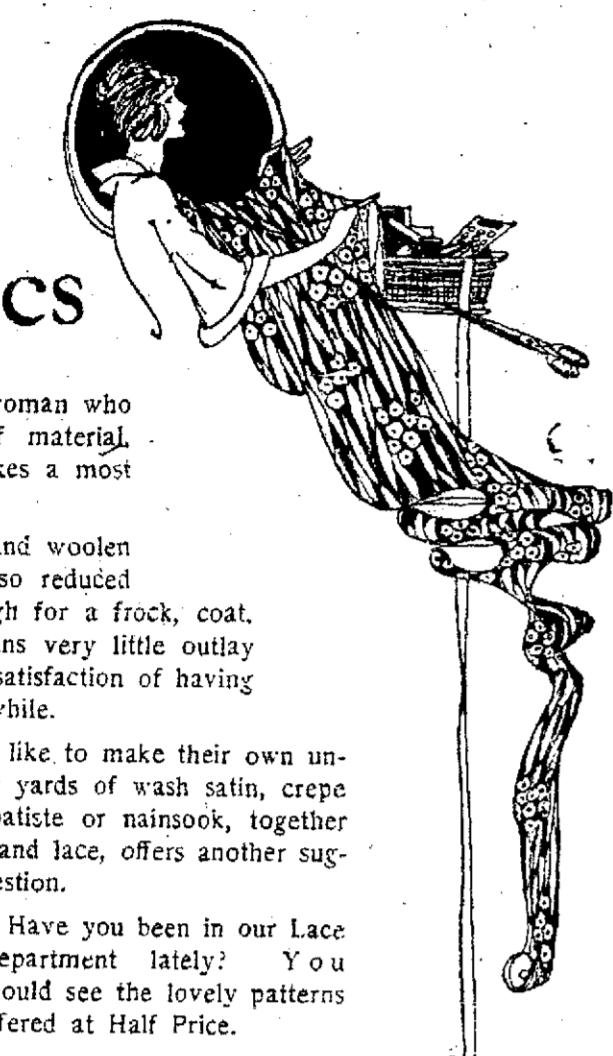
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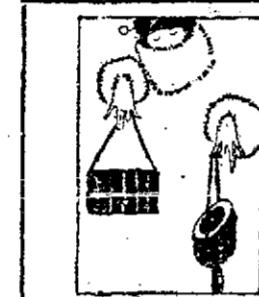
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All Velvet Bags at 25% Discount.

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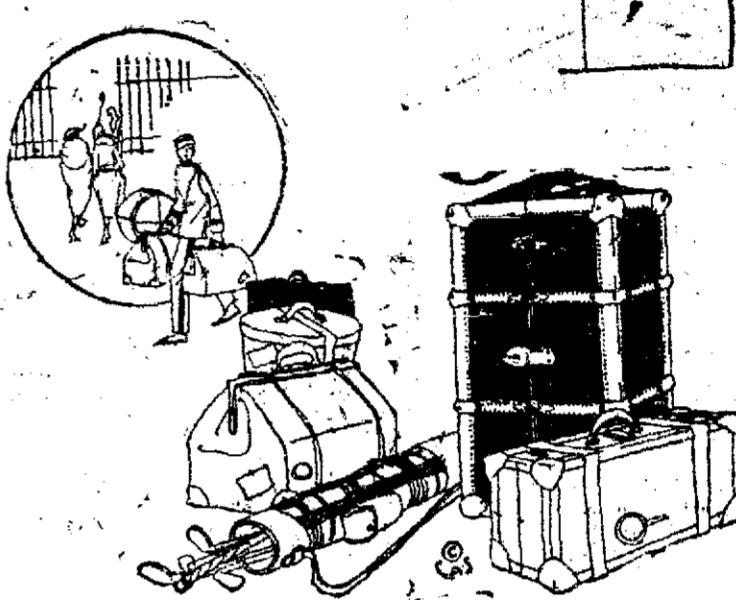
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As in past years, the House of Bluem has done everything you would expect of such an establishment to permeate its organization with true gladness so that from the moment you enter the doors, the spirit of the season seems even more real.

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FLOOR AND TABLE LAMPS
SMALL RUGS
FANCY SILK PILLOWS
TAPESTRY AND VELVET TABLE RUNNERS
(Fifth Floor)



Kerchiefs

We have mentioned our most complete assortment of handkerchiefs before, but did we ever say anything about the imported ones?

In Spanish Madeira and Armenian embroidery, they are indeed exquisite. And none—the less lovely are those of fine linen, hand-drawn, some embroidered with real lace, or the dainty ones, embroidered by hand with tiny woolen flowers in colors.

(Second Floor)



Smoking Sets

Of cut glass with enamel in several colors, including a cigar jar to keep the "smokes" fresh, these sets are very attractive. Or, why not a poker set? Complete with chips and cards in a revolving holder, these make different gifts. We also have poker sets in leather cases particularly designed for traveling.

A Fine Tie

Is always appreciated at Xmas time. Our range is large and complete and the quality is far above what you would expect for the small price asked.

(Men's Section—First Floor)

Bill Folds

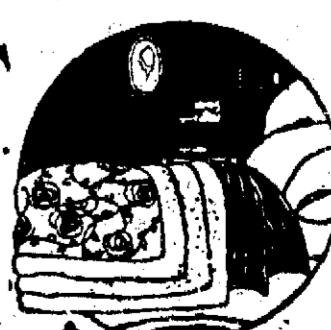
And Cigarette Cases are quite appropriate and very moderately priced. Of all genuine leather they are the kind that wear well with hard usage.

IMPORTED JAPANESE WARE
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LACQUERED GLOVE AND KERCHIEF BOXES
LACQUERED TRAYS
(First Floor)

ALL BLANKETS 20% DISCOUNT

During Christmas Week

(BASEMENT)



CENTRAL HI TEAM WALLOPED FIRST GAME OF THE SEASON

NEW YEAR'S FIGHT TO BE STAGED AFTER \$1,000 FORFEIT IS POSTED—SOUTH HI OPENS BASKETBALL SEASON NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT

FIGHT TO BE STAGED HERE NEW YEAR'S DAY AFTER ALL

With the posting of a \$1,000 forfeit with the Lima boxing commission late Saturday afternoon, it is assured that the New Year's fight card under auspices of the local post of Spanish War veterans will be staged.

It is a good card with Frankie Engle, featherweight champion of Michigan, to box Eddie Ketchell, Detroit, in a 12-round bout at 125 pounds.

Last week Engle won over Red Conley, Detroit, for the championship and after the bout was presented with a diamond belt for copping the title.

Detroit promoters, after hearing of the match, said they would have given \$1,000 for the fight to be staged in Detroit. Local promoters feel deeply concerned over matching this pair, and are assuring fans here of one of the best fights ever staged in the city.

Red Y. Donald, Toledo, has been matched for 8 rounds with Babe Bream, Ed Schlatter's batter, at 128 pounds. Y. Donald has a good record and recently has been putting up some fights in the up-state city. Babe Bream is well known to local fans for the hard fighting he always puts up.

TEXAS STEER MATCHED

In the final go of the evening Texas Steer, Toledo, will fight in a boxer, local pig, in a six round go at 118 pounds. The Texan has been knocking 'em out in rows recently and is fast coming to the front in big league sporting circles.

Just prior to the main bout a battle royal will be staged bet 'em five husky negroes. The one remaining in the ring the longest will be given a handsome sum for his brawn.

Tickets will be placed on sale this coming week.

The boxing commission demanded that a \$1,000 forfeit be posted. The promoters so advised the Spanish War veterans who refused to donate. Then the promoters got busy and after several days succeeded in digging down in their jeans for the thousand berries.

It is reported that the boxing commission refused to certify Judge Emmett Jackson as an official to referee the preliminary bouts, unless Charley Maxwell, approved official, gave his consent.

The Judge feels this is unfair and refuses to participate in an official capacity, it is reported.

K. OF C. BOWLING RESULTS

White Sox remain in first place in the K. of C. league by defeating the Cardinals in three straight contests at the recreation alleys last night.

The Nationals were successful over the Cubs in two out of the three starts. Stolly, captain of the league leaders, showed the best individual form by going over the two hundred mark in his first and final games.

The scores:

NATIONALS		
McFarland	150	156
Eng	124	117
Daley	131	115
Schenk	134	137
King	171	169
Totals	700	694

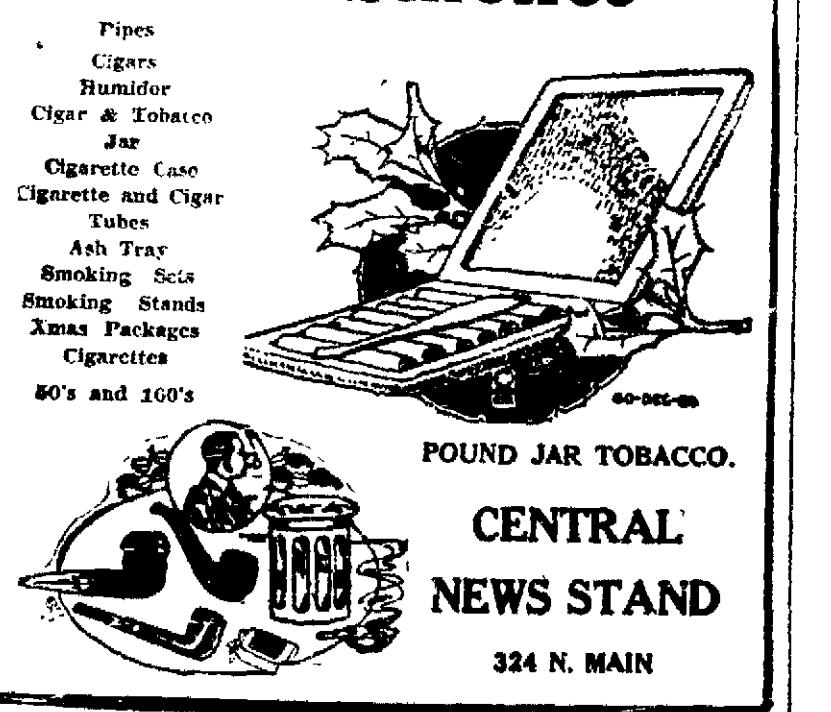
WHITE SOX		
Stolly	201	133
O'Connor	122	147
Leonard	117	131
Kiloran	135	123
Lynch	156	148
Totals	731	652

CUBS		
Holland	135	113
Gallo	136	121
Malloy	131	116
Morris	108	141
Willitt	131	178
Totals	637	690

CARDINALS		
Kennedy	121	102
Miers	137	129
Burgon	190	150
Schmidt	134	155
O'Brien	122	111
Totals	727	651

Be Comfortable NOW
Buy a Holland Furnace this week.
Make first payment next March.
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For the Man Who Smokes



FRANKIE ENGLE, FEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPION OF MICHIGAN, WHO WILL FIGHT IN LIMA



FRANKIE ENGLE

Here's the new featherweight boxing champion of Michigan who is to appear here New Year's afternoon in a 12-round bout with Eddie Ketchell under auspices of the Spanish War vets.

Last week in Detroit Engle won over Red Conley for the diamond championship belt.

NEXT LEGION BASKETBALL GAME TO BE PLAYED THURSDAY

After defeating the strong Toledo Olympics here last Friday, the Legion basketball team feels confident that it will have little trouble in winning a game to be played at Memorial Hall Thursday evening with the St. Marys Independents.

A few weeks ago the St. Marys outfit defeated the Legion quintet by a score of 50 to 24. The visiting team is proving to be one of the best in the ring this season and have already won three of four hard games played. They lost their first game last Friday night to the Mansfield Liberties. They have defeated the Dayton Gynn Cadets, the Kenton Reds, C. K. of Spencerville, and the Muncie (Ind.) Independents.

Coach Costello will put his players this staff practices each evening this coming week in preparation for the Thursday night game.

The game is being held on Thursday night instead of Friday, due to the latter day being Christmas eve. One of them is the Lamb's Club of Galion and the College Wonders of Pittsburgh, Pa.

A big Christmas special orchestra will play for a dance which will be held immediately after the game. The Legion boys feel as if they are not receiving the proper support of the Lima basket ball fans.

A feature will be the singing of Xmas Carols by Y. M. C. A. girls.

To every one

A Merry Christmas for 1921

A New Year of Happiness—Health—Prosperity

Tom Townsend's Togs

Good Tailoring
Men's Furnishings
106 E. High St.

URBANA DEFEATS LOCAL TEAM IN FAST BASKETBALL GAME

BY BILL CUNNINGHAM
(Staff Correspondent)

URBANA, O.—(Special) — Central Hi's basketball team made a poor start of their 1920 season when they dropped their first game to Urbana by the close score of 8 to 5 here Saturday night.

The low ceiling of the gymnasium here in which the game was played in contributed somewhat to Central's downfall. It was practically impossible to arch a ball to any big degree, which greatly handicapped the Lima basketball players.

Lutz, who started at one of the forward positions for Lima, caged the long field goal of the locals in the first half. The score at the end of this period was 5 to 2 in favor of Urbana.

In the final half Urbana failed to register a single field goal and defeated Central thru their throwing of foul goals. They caged three out of eight shots at the basket on foul calls by the referee on the Lima players. In this half Dille, who was substituted for Devo as a guard, caged a field goal and a foul, bringing Lima's total score to 5.

Line-ups and summary:

LIMA	URBANA
Lutz	forward
Kable	forward
Rottorf	center
Douglas	guard
Devo	guard
Substitution	(Lima) Mitchell for Lutz; Young for Kahle, Lutz for Young; Laughlin for Rottorf; James for Douglas, and Dille for Devo.
Field goals:	Lutz, 1; Dille, 1; Critfield, 1; Vance, 1.
Foul goals:	Vance, 4; Dille, 1.
Time of halves:	20 minutes.
Referee:	Gibbs.

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NO BIG DEALS MADE THRU BALL MEET

NEW YORK.—With a hotel lobby conclave between a few remaining executives, minor league managers and players a big week of winter baseball closed here Saturday night.

Since last Saturday, the National, American, International League magnates and the managers of the minors, assembled here, but only one big trade was consummated—Yankees-Sold Sox switch of our players.

Managers of every major league club clutched up the trade market, but only one big trade was consummated—Yankees-Sold Sox switch of our players.

BIG OFFERS MADE

The New York Giants were hot after Heinie Groh or Eddie Roush. Manager McGraw offered Garry Hermann \$150,000 for Groh, the highest price ever actually offered for a ball player.

McGraw nearly passed out when Hermann replied.

"Throw Frank Frisch in with it and you can have Groh."

Cash offers for Roush or Neale were also turned down. McGraw had nothing to offer but catcher and Cincinnati doesn't need them.

The Boston Braves put Rabbit Maranville on the market on a trade proposition and found no takers. However, it is likely that a trade involving New York, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Boston will be worked out.

As was expected, Ty Cobb was appointed manager of the Detroit Tigers, but the St. Louis Browns failed to come thru with the anticipated announcement that Lee Fohl would take Jimmy Burke's place at the wheel.

Center is Wisconsin's weakest point. Bleeker, a new man, and Fanning, former substitute, are the only two likely men for the position. Neither has had extensive experience in conference games.

Froger, a substitute guard of last year, is showing up best this season outside of Cooley who is trying out for forward. Sundt, Tebelle and Egglebush from the football team will be candidates for a berth as guards.

Coach Meanwell says the university will have a hard fighting team, but one that will hardly be able to develop into championship calibre. It is recalled, however, that Coach Meanwell turned out four championship teams during the six years from 1911 to 1916 when he was here before, with three of them having a 1,000 per cent record. At the University of Missouri since 1917, he has turned out two championship quintets, in the Missouri Valley Conference, one for each year he was there. During 1918 he was in the army.

A BOX EL VERSOS, SAN FELICE ON STAGS ARE ALWAYS ACCEPTED. SEND HIM A BOX OF ARTUSA CIGARS. ALL DEALERS SELL THEM.

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THE ONE GIFT WHICH WILL MAKE THIS CHRISTMAS A MERRY ONE FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY—THE GARDNER LIGHT FOUR—THE PRODUCT OF OVER 33 YEARS SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS EXPERIENCE—A 100% AUTOMOBILE VALUE—LOW IN PRICE AND LOW IN GASOLINE, OIL, TIRE AND REPAIR BILLS—ORDER IT NOW AND LET IT BE A CHRISTMAS SURPRISE TO "THE FOLKS".

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DINNER PARTY FOR LEADER MGRS.

As a farewell to Gus Holstine of the Leader Store, who leaves today, with Mrs. Holstine, for Pensacola, Florida, to remain for two months to recuperate after being shattered by recent illness, a dinner was given Friday evening at the Barr Hotel, for the heads of departments of the Leader Store.

The remodeling of the interior of the store, beginning in January, so conducted as not to interfere with the progress of business, was discussed. All new and modern fixtures have been ordered for installation in the revamped chess emporium.

Hoar Kay, an expert accountant, has been engaged to install a new system of accounting in the store, along the lines as in vogue in the larger stores of the United States. All new office equipment will be installed and the quarters enlarged.

All of the guests of the evening were concerned in business conditions, and all are optimistic for the future. Mr. Y. C. Van Pelt, in the new account system to be installed. During the absence of Mr. Holstine, important details in connection with the management of the store are delegated to his son, Sylvan Holstine.

Participating in the dinner Friday evening were Miss Madeline Van Pelt, Miss Anna Kendrick, Jo Levy, Louis Rothstein, Sy Karsch, Floyd Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Holstine, Sylvan and Alex Holstine, Shifley, Frank Schimpf, Al Paul, Morris Rosenblum, William Brown and Howard Kay.



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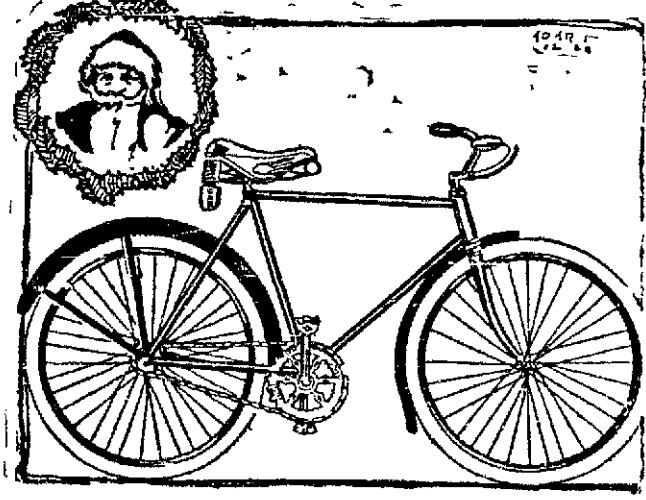
Electric Toasters
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DAYTON

Have You Ever Met a World's Champion?

Such an opportunity presents itself but rarely, if once, in the lifetime of most people. We have been fortunate in securing for Lima for one night, LESLIE PARKHURST, himself, to deliver a talk and give a motion picture program, consisting of pictures showing the Harley-Davidson Motorcycle winning the 300 Mile National Championship Race at Dodge City, Kansas, July 5th, 1920, and the 200 Mile World's Championship Road Race at Marion, Indiana, September 6th, 1920—also other interesting contest pictures.

All who ride motorcycles or who are interested, or may some day be interested, in this greatest of outdoor sports, are invited to attend this entertainment and general get-together party of local motorcycle fans and meet Leslie Parkhurst who won the 200 Mile Marion Championship Race in 1919 on a

Harley-Davidson

REMEMBER—

The Time, Tuesday Evening, 7:30 o'clock.
The Place, Poage-Sollers.

All Outdoor Enthusiasts Invited—Admission Free
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A Live Undressed Chicken!

3 TO 4 POUND SIZE

FREE!

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With the Purchase of
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OR

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At These Sale Prices

\$14.75

Save \$5 to \$15 to Save \$5 to \$15

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Buy a Suit and Overcoat and get
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Harvard Clothes
Shop**

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LAST WEEK
Xmas Needs

AT
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**These
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\$100.00 Marmot Fur Coats—Just the Thing for a Useful Xmas Gift

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**The Most Wonderful
Blouse Sale**

We have even offered \$7.50, \$10.00 and even \$12.50 Georgette, Tricotette and Crepe de Chine Blouses

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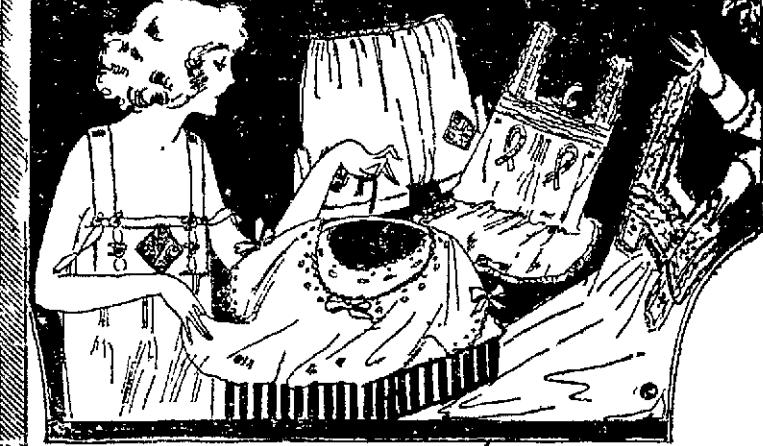
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Velvet Dresses. Satin Dresses. Velour Dresses. All the New Shades. All Sizes.

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Washable Satin Camisoles trimmed with embroideries, ribbons and laces Special.

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Chemises of fine Silk Crepe de Chine, with lace trimmings, beautiful embroideries, lace.

At \$3.98

Full length pantaloons of Silk Jersey with double elastic or ruffled bottoms. Street shades.

At \$2.98

Bloomers of fine Silk washable Satin; tailored and lace trimmed; elastic shirring at knee.

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Silk Crepe de Chine Nightgowns, tailored, lace trimmed and embroidered; with or without sleeves.

Silk Petticoats — \$3.98

Delightful to give as gifts—even more delightful to wear. Ruffles or combinations of Satin and Taffeta.

THIRTY-SIXTH YEAR

LIMA, OHIO, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1920

PRICE FIVE CENTS

56 ACRES ADDED TO WOODLAWN

Purchase Made From Lima Packing Co. and Steel Foundry.

AVERAGE OF \$250 AN ACRE

Subway to Be Constructed Under Erie Railroad Right of Way.

Altogether there is sufficient space in the present acreage of Woodlawn cemetery, about 65 acres, to take care of needs for years in providing burial plots that may be demanded.

The board of trustees of the cemetery association has made assured that for the next half century at least there will be no lack of space to take care of all requirements, considering the average mortality rate and the normal applications for burial lots.

This has been accomplished by the purchase of 56 acres of unimproved land lying just south of the present Woodlawn cemetery, south of the Chicago and Erie railroad. The present grounds adjoin the north right of way of the railroad. It is planned, in time, to construct a subway under the railroad, connecting the grounds.

The trustees, W. T. Agster, president; J. O. Hover, vice-president; L. E. Starnets, secretary; F. C. Cunningham, D. C. Shelby Mumaugh and William McComb, Saturday closed a deal for the purchase of 31 acres of land from the Lima Packing company, immediately east of the District Tuberculosis Hospital grounds and 25 acres from the Ohio Steel Foundry company, lying just east of and adjoining the tract secured from the packing company.

This acquisition gives 56 added acres, or a total of 121 acres for cemetery purposes. An average of \$250 per acre was paid for 56 acres. No steps will be taken at present for the improvement of the new grounds.

L. E. Starnets, the secretary of the board, stated Saturday.

That more ground will soon be needed was realized by the board and the opportunity to purchase the added acreage was advantages.

While there is still considerable space available in the present cemetery, not platted, the trustees stated that there remain only about 100 lots in the main part of the cemetery, unsold.

The care of the newly purchased ground will be delegated to Albert Baechler, the superintendent. "I would like to say," Mr. Starnets stated Saturday, "that the board of trustees doubt if any cemetery association in this or any other state has advantage of the services of a competent superintendent more competent than we have in Baechler."

NEW OFFICERS FOR LIMA CHAPTER A. I. U. NAMED

Lima Chapter N. 6, American Insurance Union, have a new complement of officers, as follows: Charles Kesler, president; Dan Crawford, vice president; Margaret Ruck, secretary; George Ruck, treasurer; Emma Jackman, cashier; Tremola Lyle, chaplain; Sophia Kesler, editor; Elizabeth Tarbutton, marshal; Ella Crawford, custodian; Corlia Herbst, warden; May Harvey, argus; Minnie Tobe musician; P. W. Downing, trustee; Charles Kesler, team captain; Chas. Kesler, delegate; I. W. Jackman, alternate.

These officers will be installed the first Thursday evening in January.

ORDER IS BOOKED

Lima Concern Will Make Metal Battery Boxes.

One of the encouraging signs of the last week was the resumption of operations of a full-time basis of the Lima Sheet Metal Products Co. This concern is heavily stocked with orders from a number of big automobile and truck manufacturing concerns and the slowing down of business in these lines was felt in the local factory temporarily.

The Metal Products company during the week booked an order for a few thousand metal battery boxes for Ford cars. The patent is held by this concern for these boxes and it is declared that the outlook for this particular line is very bright.

The order just received is an opener and it is expected that the factory will soon have enough orders for these boxes to make up one of the most important of its outputs.

MARKET-ST ESTIMATING BOARD FILES REPORT

C. E. Stiles, John A. Mohr and Elmer D. Webb, estimating board for Market-st paving, from the B. & O. railroad to the Ottawa river bridge, filed their report Saturday. The paving varies from 34 to 59 feet in width and the cost is \$22,124.71, of which the Ohio Electric pays \$9,471.71.

ROAD BOARD MEETS

COLUMBUS — The consideration of a legislation program and further steps towards its organization occupied the Ohio Good Roads Board here Saturday.

Representatives of more than 50 Ohio automobile clubs in a meeting here last night organized the board under the auspices of the Ohio State Automobile Association.

FORGET TROUBLES, JUDGE URGES

Reserves Decision, Advising Reconciliation in Divorce.

HUSBAND'S PEOPLE BLAMED

Judge Klinger Has Busy Day in Court Saturday.

Practically all of Saturday was taken up in the hearing of the contested divorce case of Maude Deafendoff against Bert Deafendoff, former residents of 910 Second-st. Judge Klinger withheld decision, urging the parties to become reconciled in behalf of their two-year-old daughter.

Testimony introduced showed that much of the trouble between the two originally was over the fact he paid attention to his relatives and Mrs. Deafendoff was recorded as saying that he was a good provider and she could live with him, if only he would get away from his people.

TESTIFY FOR WIFE

Women who testified in her behalf declared she was a good cook and housekeeper and always had his meals ready. Deafendoff attempted to show his wife was of quarrelsome disposition and that she left the house with their young child alone in its cradle.

She testified her husband struck and knocked her down and pushed her against the furniture. She said he allowed and encouraged his relatives to strike and abuse her.

Neighbors who testified said Deafendoff's people did not seem to care for his wife.

Harry T. Beckmann filed suit Saturday for divorce from Katherine O. Beckmann, to whom he was married June 18, 1913. He charged desertion. Mrs. Beckmann lives at 300 S. Rampart boulevard, Los Angeles.

Cecile Klipstine asks for divorce from William Klipstine, Shelby-co. in a suit filed in court. They were married in Monroe, Mich., June 26, last, and have no children.

WOMAN STRUCK BY TRUCK

Mrs. Tina Elder, Wapakoneta, was slightly injured Saturday afternoon when struck by a truck owned by the Kitz's Implement Co. at Main and High-sts. She suffered minor injuries about the head and was removed to St. Rita's hospital, where she is reported as not being in a serious condition.

CO. C. DRILL NIGHT

All members of Company C, 3d Infantry, are requested to report Monday evening, for drill. By order of O. A. Duper.

EXECUTOR APPOINTED FOR \$17,500 ESTATE

Everett A. Pittsenger, Rushmore, grandson of Mrs. Mary Chamberlain, late of Marion-tp., was named executor of her estate by probate court Saturday. The estate consists of \$4,000 in personal effects and \$13,500 in real estate. Eighty acres of land in Marion-tp. is included.

Delbert McBride, Abner Bremer and J. E. John were named appraisers of the property. A son, George Carman, Elida, was given a life estate in the property, by the will.

MERCHANTS ARM

Crime Wave Brings Precaution to New York Stores

NEW YORK.—A flying squadron of 50 experienced detectives was sent out Saturday by Police Commissioner Richard E. Enright to aid in combating the crime wave which has called forth expressions of alarm from judges, city officials and numerous civic and business organizations.

The detectives, equipped with high speed automobiles, were ordered to tour the city, in day and night relays, on the lookout for gangsters. They also were instructed to aid in tracing the slender clues in the department's possession to solve recent mysterious crimes.

Numerous organizations Saturday were discussing emergency measures to insure adequate protection. Hundreds of stores displayed firearms within easy reach of salesmen and in plain view of customers. The Merchants' Association and the Brooklyn Chamber of Commerce called special meetings to consider the situation.

The Jewelers' Security League announced it has offered a \$25,000 reward for the capture and conviction of the murderer or murderer of Edwin W. Andrews, Fifth Avenue jeweler on Thursday afternoon.

HAZEL-AVE LOT SOLD BY SHERIFF BAXTER

Plot 44, located on Hazel-ave, beyond the old Lima college building, was sold at public auction Saturday by Sheriff Baxter to satisfy the court action of Albert Hillard and others against Matthew Hillard and others.

The house and lot was appraised at \$500. It was sold for \$405. Alpha Dutzer being purchaser.

DUDGEON FUNERAL SUNDAY

Funeral services for James Dudgeon, grocer, Westminister, killed by an Erie railroad train Thursday noon, will be held Sunday at 9:30 o'clock at Salem church, near Westminister. Interment will be in Fairmount cemetery.

COLD; BUILD FIRE DANGER ZONE

Hoboes Come Near Sending B. & O. Train Toward Sky.

LANGUISHING IN JAIL NOW

Too Cool to Ride Blind Baggage" They Say.

William St. Clair, 21, and J. Conner, 19, came near sending a Baltimore and Ohio train heavenward Saturday.

The men are charged with beating their way, being hoboes of a pronounced type. While riding on the train they started a fire in the bottom of the car. The train is said to have been carrying explosives. A large quantity was near the cheery blaze, officials say.

They were removed from the freight here and arraigned before Justice E. M. Bottkin. Both pleaded guilty and were fined \$5 and costs.

They had no money to pay and are languishing in the county jail.

Both said they had no home and made a practice of getting about the country on freight cars. "It was too cold to ride blind baggage Saturday, so we started just a little fire to warm up our freezing hands and legs," they told the court.

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County schools will close as soon as examinations, which start Tuesday, are completed. Most of them are expected to be closed for the holidays by Thursday, at the close of the schools hours.

Programs will be held in each rural school room and at most schools and teachers will distribute candy and nuts to their pupils.

KELVIN FUNERAL ARRANGED

Funeral services for Lewis Kennel, who died suddenly Friday morning at St. Rita's hospital, will be held Monday at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Kennel's mother, Mrs. Joseph McClain, 818 Atlantic-ave. Interment will be at Gethsemani. The Rev. John Keehley, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, will officiate.

HOME FOR VACATION

The Misses Carrie and Elvire Sutter, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Sutter, 886 W. Spring-st, have arrived home from college for the Christmas holidays. Miss Carrie Sutter is a student at Central Mennonite college, Bluffton, and Miss Elvire Sutter at Ohio State, Columbus.

RETURNS TO DUTY

Ensign Lucas A. Moebus of the U. S. S. Tennessee, has returned to New York, after a visit of 10 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Moebus, W. Elm-st.

43 YEARS OF HONEST DEALING

PRESIDENT OF KENYON ADDRESSES HIGH SCHOOL

Dr. Pierce, president of Kenyon College, gave a very interesting talk to the students of Central HI Friday afternoon.

The topic "Why Should High School Graduates Go to College" was very cleverly presented by Dr. Pierce. He illustrated how a college education is a better financial investment than going to work immediately after graduating from high school.

He also proved that a college graduate know how to use his leisure time to more advantage than one who does not attend college.

At the college man is a better leader and is more often the leader than a non-college man, was proved by Dr. Pierce with concrete examples.

He stated that 80 per cent of the men whose names are in "Who's Who" are college graduates.

The Rev. Kirk O'Farrell, a graduate of Kenyon, introduced Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University. Both believe Harding is working toward a solution which in its fundamentals will be acceptable, though not in all its details. Butler is among those who probably will be considered for the ambassadorship to France or Japan.

He took the view Saturday that the first thing to be done in Europe is to give France a feeling of security against future attack by Germany.

While opposed to the United States entering any guarantees, he favors America using its influence in this direction. Once France feels secure, Dr. Butler believes it will be easier to bring European nations to agreement on an international association.

Dr. Butler agreed with Harding that the league of nations formulated at Versailles rests on a political basis and might easily develop into a super-government. Senator Reed, after a conference with Harding, reaffirmed his opposition to the league and appeared friendly to the idea of an association of nations formed for conference and investigation of controversies but without power to compel a settlement.

Prevention of war, in Reed's opinion, lies largely in a clarification of international law and in individual treaties based on the code.

Dr. Butler urged on Harding the necessity of liberal credit to foreign purchasers. Unless this is extended, he said, America will be unable to dispose of its surplus production there.

Senator Harry New, Indiana, discussed the legislative program with Senator Harding. He indicated that little construction work would be done at the present session that the Republican leaders were inclined to do for President-elect Harding's recommendation to a special session after March 4.

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\$2.50—36 in. Satin Stripe Lingerie	\$1.59
\$3.50—32 in. Satin Stripe Silk Shirtling	\$1.98
\$3.50—36 in. Stripes and Plaids	\$1.98
\$3.00—36 in. Stripes and Plaids	\$1.59
\$3.00—36 in. Black and Colored Taffetas	\$1.59
\$3.50—36 in. Black and Colored Taffetas	\$1.98
\$3.50—36 in. Black Satin Duchesse	\$1.98
\$3.50—40 in. Black and Colored Duchesse	\$1.98
\$3.00—36 in. Black and Colored Messalines	\$1.59
\$3.50—36 in. Black and Colored Messalines	\$1.98
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WOMEN'S FINE SUITS 1/2 PRICE

\$115.00 size 42 Navy Duve-De Laine suit, reduced to	\$57.50
\$125.00 size 36 Navy Broadcloth suit with Nutria fur trimming	\$62.50
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\$125.00 size 40 Burgundy Velour De Laine suit with Seal fur collar	\$49.00
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\$129.75 size 18 Pekin Blue Duvefyn dress, reduced to	\$69.00
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\$95.00 size 16 Hunter's Green Velvet Suit, reduced to	\$39.00

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Women's \$5.95 to \$10.00 celebrated opera made of blouses in silk georgette, crepe de chine, organdie and sheer voiles—all smart, cleverly designed models.

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Women's \$5.00 flesh color envelope chemise in fine washable silk crepe-de-chine with lace and ribbon trimmings.

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Beautiful Rich Fur Coats



\$175.00 Natural Wild Cat Fur Coat with black Seal collar	\$95.00
\$335.00 Seal Coat with natural Squirrel collar and cuffs	\$250.00
\$400.00 Black Seal Fur Coat with Australian Opossum collar	\$298.00
\$650.00 Real Hudson Bay Seal Coat, 45 inches long	\$398.00
\$675.00 Genuine Hudson Bay Seal Coat, 45 inches long	\$495.00
\$750.00 Waist Length Real Kohlinsky Mink Cape	\$495.00

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Fur Muff and Collar Sets of Wild Cat, River Mink, Opossum, Kit Coney, Thibet, Bob Cat, Fox, Squirrel and Mufflon.

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Large Fur Collars and Coatees

\$89.00 Seal Coatee with Nutria collar and cuffs

\$150.00 Large Deep Shoulder Cape of real natural Beaver

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\$175.00 Cape Collar of Genuine Mole Skin

A Most Wonderful Showing of Animal Scarfs and Chokers and Muffs



\$35 Natural Fitch Choker Fur Scarf	\$27.50
\$50 Black Seal Scarf and Muff Fur Set	\$29.75
\$45 Kohlinsky Barrel Shape Fur Muff	\$29.75
\$75 Fine Black Lynx Fur Muff	\$37.50
\$50 Best Quality Nutria Fur Muff	\$30.00
\$65 Natural Grey Squirrel Fur Muff	\$39.00
\$95 Taupe Fur Animal Fox Scarf	\$47.50
\$65 Real Mole Skin Fur Muff	\$45.00
\$65 Animal Shape Silver Blue Fox Scarf	\$49.00
\$150 Animal Shape Porcupine Fox Scarf	\$100.00
\$125 Animal Shape Brown Martin Scarf	\$90.00
\$100 Alaska Red Animal Fox Scarf	\$79.00
\$175 Real Mole Skin Collarette	\$139.00

Women's and Men's Silk Hose Reduced for Holiday Selling

One lot \$1.50 Women's Silk Hose, colors only (to close out)	75c
Women's \$2.00 Guaranteed Silk Hose, black, white and colors	\$1.50
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Women's \$1.25 Silk Boot Hose, in black, white and colors	\$1.00
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Women's \$3.00 Silk Hose in black, white and colors	\$2.50
Women's \$2.50 Out Size Silk Hose, black, white and colors	\$2.00
Men's Guaranteed Silk Hose, black, white and colors	\$1.00
Men's Guaranteed Silk Hose, black, white and colors	\$1.25
Men's Guaranteed Silk Hose, black, white and colors	\$2.00
Men's Guaranteed Wool Hose, navy, brown and green mixture	\$1.50
Women's \$5.50 Pure Silk Thread Hose, black, white, navy, grey and brown	\$3.75
Women's \$4.75 Soft Glove Silk Hose, in black, white, navy and brown	\$3.75
Women's \$5.00 Black Italian Silk Hose, with colored tops	\$3.95
Women's \$5.50 Beautiful Open Silk Hose in black and white	\$4.95

A Delightful Present For My Lady

Women's \$4.50 Pure Dye Thread Silk Hose, all sizes 2 1/2, 3, 4 1/2 and 10. Colors, black, white, grey, cordovan, Castor Brown, Pink, Sky, Purple, etc., etc.	
Holiday Sale Price	\$3.50
Women's \$3.00 All Pure Silk Hose, in black, white and colors.	
Holiday Sale Price	\$2.50

WOMEN'S VERY SMART SUITS FOR \$24.50

\$35.00 size 36 Dark Scotch Mixture suit reduced to	\$24.50
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\$37.50 size 44 Navy Diagonal Cloth suit, reduced to	\$24.50

Other Sizes and Colors at Same Reductions

WOMEN'S BEAUTIFUL GOWNS SACRIFICED

\$175.00 size 18 Fur Trimmed French Blue Dress	\$75.00
\$125.00 size 18 Very Smart Brown Chiffon Velvet Dress	\$85.00
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One lot of \$55 and \$75 women's dresses, fashioned of navy tricotine, the finest tailoring and the most authentic models.

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Former values and price reductions fade into insignificance compared with the \$65.00 and \$75.00 tricotine satin and georgette dresses in this lot.

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WOMEN'S AFTERNOON AND DINNER DRESSES

\$115.00 size 18 Navy Charmeuse dress, reduced to	\$69.00
\$125.00 size 18 Navy Tricotine dress, reduced to	\$69.00
\$115.00 size 16 Gold Emb. Black Charmeuse dress	\$69.00

Other Attractive Styles Same Price

SKIRTS UP TO \$19.75 FOR \$9.95

One lot women's \$12.

GRANDMOTHER IS STUDENT, TOO

Prominent Texas Club Woman is Freshman in University.

AUSTIN, Tex. — "Because a mother should never allow her children to outgrow her," Mrs. Mary B. Bonner, prominent Texas club woman, mother of four children and grandmother of two more, is a freshman in the academic department, Texas University, she told the United Press today.

"Too, students in college need a mother's care and steady influence," she said, "and to me the great motive of existence has been the proper training and upbringing of children."

Mrs. Bonner's youngest son, Ray, a sophomore at the university and she declared she regarded him as her best chum on the campus.

"My children and I have always been just pals and now we are growing up together," she said.

"It grieves me to see the youth and comparative helplessness of freshmen in the universities of the country. They are thrown from the calm of their high school life into the storm of college life and told to sink or swim. Some of them sink."

"Altho I believe away deep in my heart boys and girls are good and stirring that could best be devoted to pure, modern living demands have broken down all reserve and modesty between the two sexes. I sometimes wonder if co-education is best for boys and girls after they pass through high school. Too much energy and time is expended in frivolity and Texas."

Mrs. Bonner said she prefers a journalism course, especially advertising. She is an enthusiastic

woman. If co-education is best for sports women, never misses a football game and her favorite sport is horseback riding. Her home is at Tyler,

PRAYERS FOR RECOVERY OF CARDINAL ASKED

BALTIMORE, Md. — The following announcement concerning the health of Cardinal Gibbons, signed by Bishop O. B. Corrigan, vicar general of the diocese, appears Saturday in the Baltimore Catholic Review.

"The faithful of the archdiocese are most anxious about the many reports concerning the health of our beloved cardinal.

"It is gratifying to announce that

he is under the best of medical care at the home of Mr. Robert T. Shriver, Union Mills.

His condition varies

from hour to hour, but those in attendance, are hopeful of early recovery.

"His devoted people are urged to

offer daily prayers for him."

Word was received at the cardinal's residence from Union Mills Saturday morning that he had a good night's rest and had said he felt better than at any time since he went there.

"His devoted people are urged to

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31x4	17.50	2.50	31x4	...	15.00
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33x4	19.50	2.75	33x4
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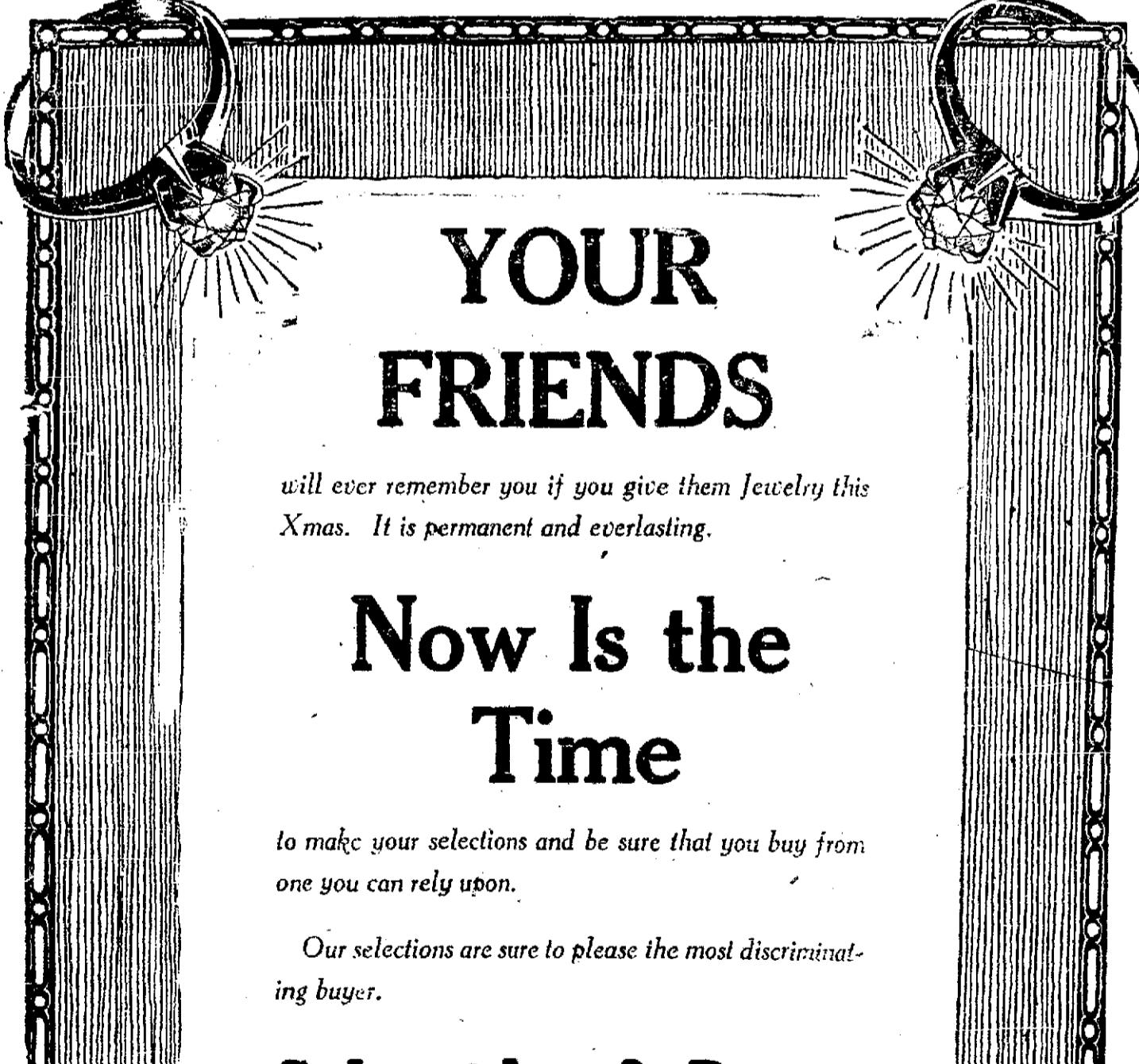
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Our selections are sure to please the most discriminating
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Community Fund Campaign



"And whosoever shall give to one of these little ones he shall in no wise lose his reward." — Matthew 18:42.

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Every citizen of Lima should have a personal interest in and an individual responsibility for the well-being of the Community. We enjoy many and great privileges. We must share the responsibilities.

WALTER D. COLE,
Pastor of Trinity M. E. Church

"In union there is strength" was never more appropriate than in this great drive for Social Service. By united action we will be able to alleviate the many hapless conditions of suffering humanity.

RT. REV. A. E. MANNING,
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The Community Chest represents the most forward step in philanthropic cooperation ever taken in this city. It deserves the fullest financial and moral support of all our citizens.

N. L. MICHAEL,
Pres. of Temple Beth Israel.

All Creeds Unite FOR CHARITY KNOWS NO CREED

To All Citizens of Lima:

Lima is confronted with a great responsibility, that of caring for its social service needs.

All citizens should be heart and soul in this campaign. Every man, woman and child in Lima is interested in one or more of the social service or charitable organizations included in the Community Budget and recognizes the imperative need of supporting this campaign.

No one can evade his personal responsibility for his less fortunate neighbor — I say personal responsibility advisedly and thoughtfully.

Count your blessings, assume your responsibility and be thankful for the opportunity of helping in this worthy cause.

Sincerely yours,

RALPH W. AUSTIN,
Chairman Campaign Committee.

To Help Make Better Limaites!

The Challenge

A CHALLENGE TO THE GENERALS:

You have heavy responsibilities but you are each capable of the task before you. Upon you rests the obligation of keeping your workers enthused, encouraged and advised. The entire city will watch for the result of the work done in your division. Yours is an honorable task inasmuch as you are devoting your valuable time without remuneration.

A CHALLENGE TO THE MAJORS:

Upon you rests the obligation of carrying on the plans outlined by your generals. Your duty is the organization of efficient, conscientious and willing captains who will in turn select the individual workers. Whether or not your captains do their work, the responsibility is yours. Will you shoulder that responsibility — will your territory be covered 100%? The results will tell.

A CHALLENGE TO THE CAPTAINS:

You have been assigned territory in which you are expected to place as many individual workers as are needed. Will you and your workers go out today for the educational work and will you and your workers call on every home in your district Christmas Day? Will there be any neighborhoods without solicitors? That is your responsibility.

A CHALLENGE TO INDIVIDUAL WORKERS

For lack of space your names are not listed, but the public expects you to call on them. If you do not find them at home on Sunday, make a note on your blank and call back later. Leave a booklet, tell the people that you will be back on Christmas Day to have them sign the pledge card. Make a list of the families in each house. THEN SEE TO IT THAT YOU GO BACK CHRISTMAS AND SECURE THE PLEDGE. If you do not secure the money or pledge on that day, turn in what you have and go back again and again until you have called on every one in your designated territory. That is your responsibility.

A CHALLENGE TO THE PUBLIC

Between a thousand and fifteen hundred workers are devoting their time and efforts cheerfully and without charge to bring to you the great need for funds to care for Lima's many calls for charity and social uplift work. Can you say you do not care? Suppose Nobody cared. You must care and the responsibility of filling the Community chest is YOURS.

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W. B. Wilcox, Co-Gen.

Captains—

Richard Nelson

Ivo Sunderland

Ross McCauley

George Baum

Walter Craig

Major—G. M. Paine

Captains—

Mrs. C. M. Paine

Mrs. E. A. Siford

Dr. W. A. Noble

Paul T. Jacobs

Margaret Jacobs

Major—E. A. Siford

Captains—

Luella Putt

Miss Townsend

Theo. DeWeese

Howard R. Blum

J. I. Motter

Major—Reed Marshall

Captains—

Dr. A. Wiseley

Dr. E. C. Yingling

W. D. Harman

C. D. Steel

Dr. E. H. Hedges

Edward Preston

Dr. P. W. Basinger

Dr. V. H. Hay

Major—F. Schenck

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Mrs. A. H. Miller

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Major—G. D. Dildine

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These Delicious Recipes are Holiday Suggestions

by DOROTHY O'DURANT

What would Christmas be with an empty cookie jar, and no other goodies to gladden the hearts of dear little kiddies? Good things to eat are always tempting, but at holiday time they seem a real necessity. It is for items that the busy little mother begins to plan weeks ahead—for there is the fruit cake to have ready, the huge cookie jar to fill full with delicious crisp cookies, and no end of other good things must be in readiness.

This year with foodstuffs abnormally high, you must plan accordingly. So that you may have all the good things, and yet practice economy, here are suggested a few simple recipes to help you.

First is a recipe for orange peel candied that may be finished in one day. Heretofore every recipe for this delicious dainty has taken at least two days in preparing.

Candied Orange Peel

Peel 4 oranges.

1 cup sugar.

1-2 cup hot water.
Place peel in cold water and put over fire. Cook until tender. Drain and with the back of a spoon scrape part of white from peel. Cut in strips with a sharp knife and cook 12 minutes in syrup made by cooking sugar and water until it threads. Drain and allow to cool. Then roll in granulated sugar and serve.

Stuffed Dates
Stone dates and other stuff with chopped nuts or raisins. Then roll in powdered sugar.

Tuna Fish Sandwiches
1 can tuna fish.
2 tablespoons chopped capers.
2 hard cooked eggs.
1 tablespoon lemon.

Mayonnaise.
Mix fish, eggs and capers with lemon juice and add enough mayonnaise to spread well. Decorate with pickles.

Sponge Cake
1 tablespoonful vanilla.
1 cup flour.

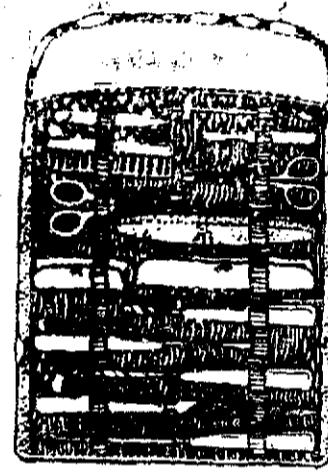
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cooked frosting for cakes or cookies.
Short Break Cookies
1-1/2 cups flour.
1-1/2 cup shortening.
1-1/2 cup sugar.
1-2 teaspoonful salt.
1 egg.
1 teaspoonful vanilla.
Cream shortening, sugar and salt. Then gradually add the well beaten egg, flour and flavoring. Knead lightly, roll out one-fourth inch thick and cut into shapes. Bake in a moderate oven from ten to fifteen minutes. This recipe will make 40 cookies.

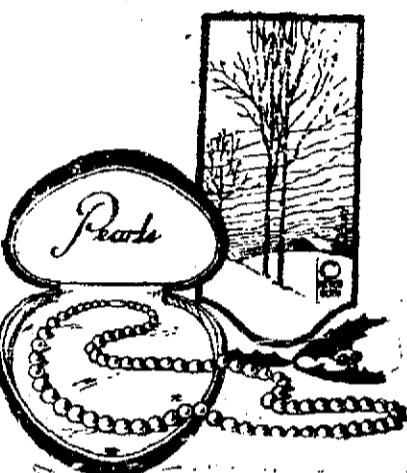


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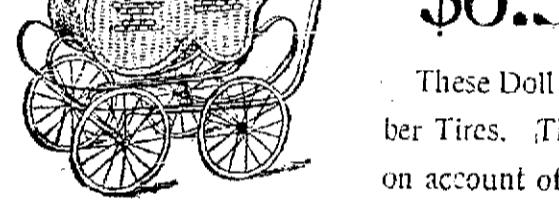
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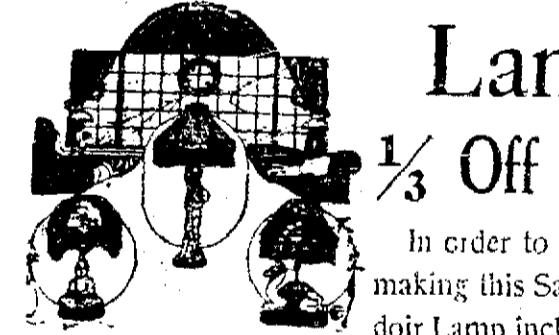


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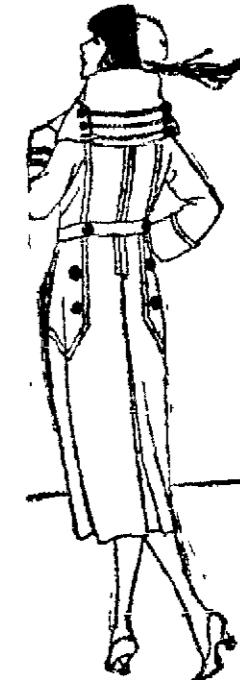
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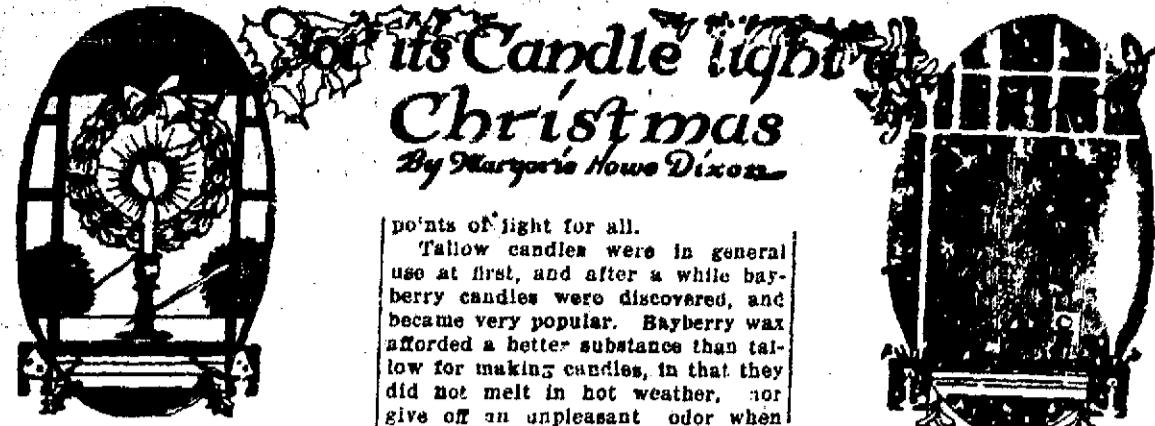
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points of light for all.

Tallow candles were in general use at first, and after a while bayberry candles were discovered, and became very popular. Bayberry wax afforded a better substance than tallow for making candles, in that they did not melt in hot weather, nor give off an unpleasant odor when lighted. In fact, just after the flame had been extinguished, such a candle would give out an agreeable fragrance, which fact has recommended it even until now as a gift of unusual charm.

In fact, so important did the manufacture of bayberry candles become that the town of Salem proclaimed an ordinance that all be prohibited from picking bayberries after September 15th, when they are even more aged than Christmas itself, for use at festivals. The Romans, before there was any Christmas, used them extensively for light and as gifts in their mid-winter Saturnalia, a festivity which was the forerunner of our pleasant holiday.

Oh, you needn't be shocked to find candles were originally part of pagan celebration; you mustn't be too critical about the origin of Christmas customs or you will come up against the earliest use of mistletoe. That interesting plant was held in reverence by those arch-pagans, the Druids, who used it in their ceremonies, where it was an integral part of their religion.

And for that matter, to be very precise about these matters, did you realize the mistletoe hung on the chandelier is really only available as an excuse for kissing the ladies so long as its little white berries last? One berry must be removed for each kiss—and when they are all gone—you understand perfectly, I am sure.

But let us return to the candles. A single candle lighted and placed in a window all by itself on Christmas Eve is to commemorate the Star of the East, which led the wise-men to where the young child lay. This pretty custom has been particularly celebrated in the last few years.

Let us go back to our forefather's time, the day when the candle was held in the greatest esteem, when it was in fact the only light they had. A few of the seaport towns, able to obtain a cheap oil boasted of oil lamps in our Colonial days. But everywhere else candles were the

value is respondent best without it; particularly Christmas fragrance, the sweet smell of pine and fir, pouring forth from the lighted Christmas tree. How could we celebrate Christmas without candles?

Another and lengthy article could be written on the subject of candlesticks alone. Let us, however, mention them here as gifts, no gift could be more graceful, nor more generally acceptable. Does your friend delight in collecting Colonial

china? Then give her a

brass or silver stick from Revolatory days. Does he prefer bisque? Journey forth to the antique shops and find him a Chinese, Japanese, or if luck is with you, an East Indian stick. Does she perchance, love china best? Find her a pair of Wedgwood sticks to add to her collection, or the lovely modern pottery candlesticks, of which the crafts shops are offering a sprig of holly in the bow knot, and so interesting an assortment.

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THIRTY-SIXTH YEAR

LIMA, OHIO, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1920

PRICE FIVE CENTS

CHRISTMAS FIXINGS ABSORB

Plans in Making to Provide Yuletide Cheer for the Little Folks On Santa Day

Philanthropic Organizations Busy in Work of Mercy—Wayfarers' Party Wednesday

CHRISTMAS falls on Saturday of this week, the day designated for the celebration of the birth of Christ, and with it comes the thoughts of mistletoe, holly, plum pudding, gifts and the whole social world is at this time in a state of excitement.

Club and social women, whose activities have been slackened during the past few weeks, are putting the finishing touches to their needlework, which will become part of the gladsome Christmas. Plans are being made for an unusually brilliant Christmas for this is the one time during the year that the entire family is together.

On Friday and Saturday the university and college students were returning for their usual holiday vacation. It is true that the little ones become the most prominent and a great deal of fussing with the Christmas tree and buying of new toys which will bring cheer to the hearts of the little tots.

Philanthropic organizations are active during this season to make a joyous Christmas for those who have no one near and dear to bring tidings. The ringing of the bells by the Salvation Army lassies bids one to give, that a number of families who would otherwise not have celebrated the day, will be cared for.

The Wayfarers club will start the ball rolling with their annual Christmas party on Wednesday evening. More than one hundred and fifty invitations have been issued for the affair which is expected to be one of the most delightful festivities of the season.

The Lima club and Elk's Home will be the scenes for interesting affairs on New Years eve, in celebration of the arrival of 1921.

A number of informal affairs are being planned for the holiday season for the pleasure of returned students. William L. Allaire and

WOMAN WRITER, GRANDMOTHER, BUSY WITH SCENARIOS, STORIES



Mrs. Mary Roberts Rinehart and her granddaughter, Bab. A comely chair set well back in the corner near the fireplace, where she of this modern grandmother are these: She writes three scenarios a year and supervises their production in a west coast studio; writes a novel a year and usually one of the six best sellers; writes short stories for magazines; writes plays, having three now on Broadway and two more in the making, to say nothing of numerous special articles for magazines and papers. Pretty good for a grandmother, isn't it?

Francis Clark, is planning to make this a decided success.

The next affair will be the Stroll-dance at the Lima Club on Friday afternoon. A grab bag was enjoyed and in a contest Mrs. Morrison won first prize and Mrs. Brown was consoled. At 4 o'clock a delicious luncheon was served.

In a fortnight the club will meet with Mrs. Brown, W. North-st.

Walton Wyre, a student at the Columbia Military Academy, Va., arrives Sunday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wyre, W. Market-st.

The O. W. E. W. Circle met at the home of Mrs. Brennan, Grandave Friday afternoon. A grab bag was enjoyed and in a contest Mrs. Morrison won first prize and Mrs. Brown was consoled. At 4 o'clock a delicious luncheon was served.

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Social Calendar

MONDAY
Beta Sigma Pi, sorority; Miss Clara Bell, evening.
Roundtable club, Mrs. T. W. Greenland, afternoon.
Arbutus club, Mrs. T. B. Greene, afternoon.

TUESDAY
Koueta Circle, Mrs. H. B. Hay, afternoon.
S. C. D. club, Mrs. P. F. Wells, afternoon.

WEDNESDAY
Progressive Echo club, Mrs. T. Townsend, afternoon.
Ladies Aid society of the Trinity church, afternoon.
Wayfarer's club dance, evening.
Mentor club, Mrs. Carl Kominsk, afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wallace celebrate their golden wedding anniversary.

THURSDAY
Ideal club, Mrs. Burgoyne, afternoon.
Lotus Social club, Mrs. M. Arbutnot, afternoon.

Mrs. Oliver Steiner, W. Market-st, entertained the members of the Altrurian club with their annual Christmas party at her home Friday evening. Mrs. Foss Zartman gave a splendid talk on the first Christmas and traced the celebration to the present day. Mrs. Charles E. Lynch and Mrs. John Carnes favored with appropriate Christmas solos. Mrs. C. V. Stephens, who presided, talked on "Christmas in Other Lands." Misses Mary Jane and Pauline Steiner gave several delightful Christmas readings.

One of the most delightful features of the evening was the grab bag. Mrs. F. A. Baxter, Mrs. H. A. Holdridge, Mrs. Nettie Miller, Mrs. O. R. Phillips and Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Haucker were the only guests. At a late hour the hostess served delicious refreshments.

Mrs. J. A. Exline and daughter, Miss Princess entertained the members of the Floral Guild at their home Wednesday afternoon. Responses to roll call were quotations on Charity. Plans were made for the filling of a number of baskets for needy families for Christmas. The club has during the past month given several families a number of blankets and comforters. At 4 o'clock a delicious luncheon was served. The guests were delighted with several quotations by little Miss Irish.

Guests of the club were Alice Stafford, Mrs. Irish and Miss Caroline Sommers. Mrs. Roy Fletcher was welcomed as a new member. The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. W. H. Howell, W. Elm-st.

NOVEL BOUDOIR CAP IS PARIS' LATEST



(BY ELOISE)

Did you ever see a pretty miza or matron walk right past a boudoir cap without stopping to look longingly, to touch or to say, "How pretty?" Well, then, what's the hurry about what to give her for Christmas? The problem is easily solved with one of the many pretty boudoir caps which have been designed to cover maid's informal morning attire. It is fashioned of chantilly lace with pretty medallions of brocaded ribbon.

Paris today is said to be this "vogue" cap, or cap of liberty, bonnet set at each side. Narrow black velvet ribbon outlines the cap which is finished off with a soft ruffle to outline the face.

Mrs. H. B. Hay, Brice-ave, will be hostess to the members of the Kon-Circle at her home Tuesday afternoon.

The Ideal club will hold a meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Harry Burgoyne, 1160 Brice-ave, who will spend the holidays with Mr. Wyre's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wyre, W. Market-st.

LECTURE ON PILGRIMS' LANDING

Rev. Ian Campbell Hannah of Oberlin College, at Congregational Church, Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wallace invite Friends for Their Golden Wedding Anniversary

LIMA has been highly favored this season by having a number of talented members of the Oberlin College faculty lecture here. One of them comes on Tuesday evening, Rev. Ian Campbell Hannah, who will speak on "The Three Hundredth Anniversary of the Landing of the Pilgrims." He is well known as a speaker and every Lima club woman should attend. He will appear at the Congregational church at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Wallace, 723 W. Wayne-st, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary at their home Wednesday, with an informal reception from two to five and seven to ten. All friends of the family are cordially invited to attend and no invitations have been issued for the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace have been residents of Lima for more than 40 years and are among the oldest members of the Trinity M. E. congregation. Until the past few years Mr. Wallace has been on the board of the Y. M. C. A., and was one of the original members. He is a member of the official board of Trinity church.

Mrs. Wallace was one of the first members of Home Missionary society of the Methodist church and has been active in church affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace have three children, Mrs. Julia Simpson, secretary of the Y. W. C. A., Glen Wallace and Frank Wallace, who are in business with their father.

The members of the Non Tellis dinner club were entertained at the home of Mrs. Russell Born, 1003 Albert-st., Friday. At 12 o'clock a delicious dinner was served and during the afternoon needlework and card games were enjoyed. Mrs. William Tilly was the only guest. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. B. B. Conkley, Albert-st.

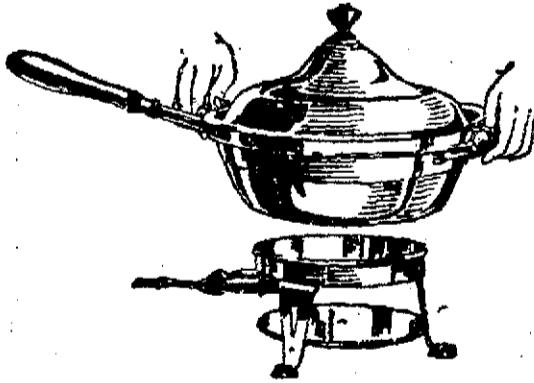
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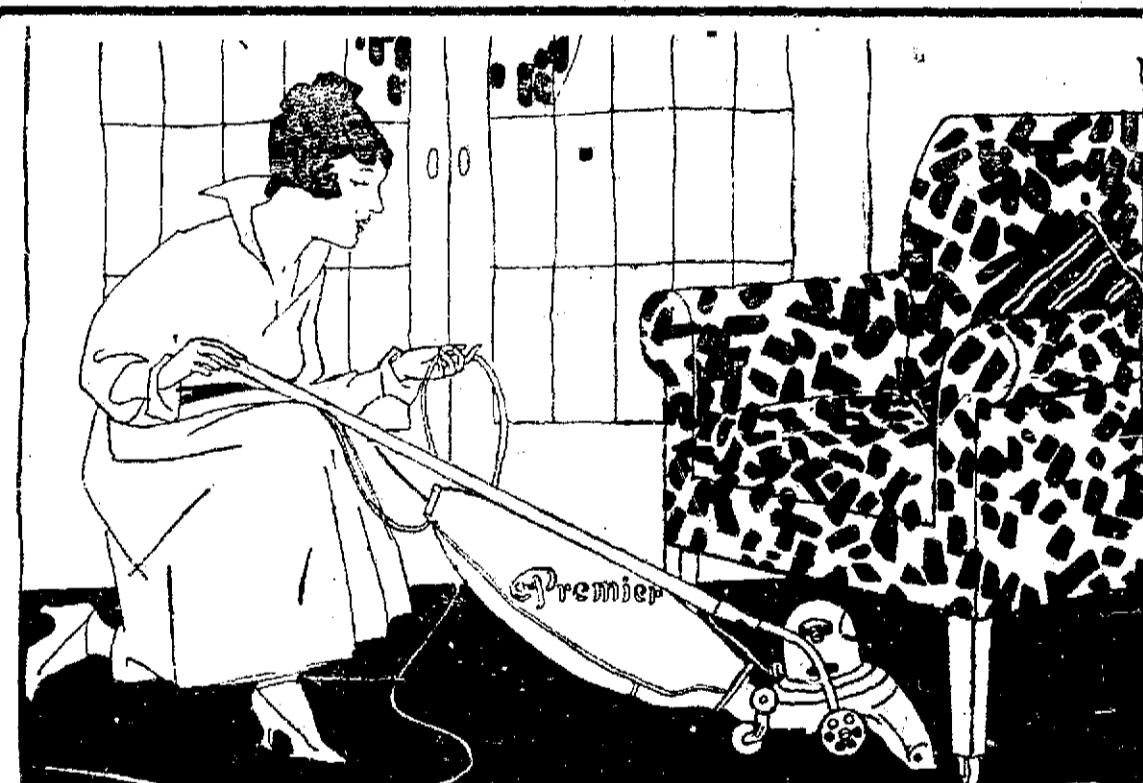
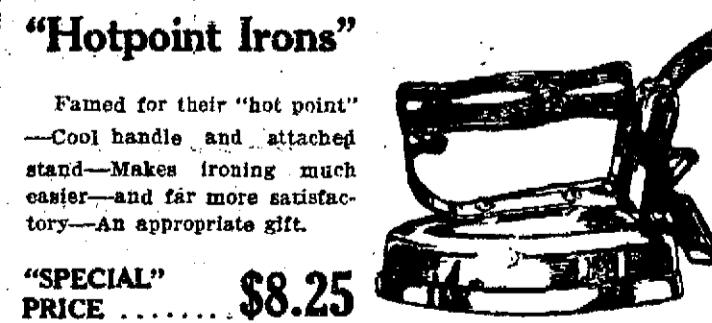


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James Poling and John Ruse, W. Market-st., entertained informally at the J. B. Poling home with a dancing party for the pleasure of a circle of friends. Red and green was the prevailing color scheme used in the decorations. Refreshments were served during the evening. Guests included: Misses Garnet Howell, Helen Stolzenbach, Martha Dildine, Dorothy Lawson, Helen Hughes, Mildred Sidener, Jeanette Willower, Virginia Gardner, Virginia Vaughn, Miriam Kaufman, Myra Fr'dley, Eleanor Trout, Margaret Green, Jeanette Stewart, Frances Meade, Miss Nef, and Miss Mercer; Messrs. John Schell, Bryan Mikese, Rodney Lutrop, Russell Merle, Carl Plummer, Henry Wemmer, Clifford Moser, William Kirk, Paul Foust, Crit Taylor, Wayne Calvin, Paul Schiups, Eugene Reed and Russell Botkins.

The Community Sewing class finished their first term of work under the direction of Miss Lettie Reid, Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. B. Kirk, Richfield-ave. They surprised the hostess by giving a covered dish luncheon at 1 o'clock. This made a merry round up of the fine work they have done in the past few weeks. Each one had remodeled garments for herself.

Tuesday, Jan. 11, will be the day they will resume their lessons. Quite a number have already signed for this class, which is open to any woman. The class promotes a true Community spirit.

Miss Esther Sweeney, Brice-ave, welcomed the members of the Jolly Seven club at her home Friday evening. In the contests Miss Mary Roush and Miss Elizabeth Rupert were successful. A Christmas grab bag was the main feature of the meeting. Late refreshments were served.

Members in attendance were: Elizabeth Rupert, Dorothy Miller, Mary Jane Steiner, Mary Roush, Janice Simonton, Mary O'Ferrall, Janice Raudabaugh, and Janice Simonton.

Miss Catherine Galvin arrived Saturday from the Western College, Oxford, and will be with her parents at The Norval, over the holidays.

Mrs. Austin Potter left Saturday for Detroit, Mich., for the Christmas period with her parents and will be joined by her husband next week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pierce, 920 Brice-ave, have gone to Cleveland and Sandusky to spend the holidays.

The Roundtable club will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. T. W. Greenland, 230 S. Jameson-ave.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Doris Jeanette Mechling to Emor Larsen in Toledo, on Saturday, December 11th. Mr. and Mrs. Larsen will be at home to their many friends at 410 Prescott-st., Toledo.

Mrs. Larsen was formerly a resident of this city and is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rice, 128 E. North-st.

Miss Carrie Neely, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Neely, American-type and Lantom Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hoffman, N. McDonel-st., were united in marriage Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman will make their home for the present with Mr. Hoffman's parents.

The Lotus Social club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. M. Arthurnot, 124 1/2 W. High-st.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles East, W. High-st., will have as their guests, Mrs. East's mother, Mrs. Louise White, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Gerold, Toledo.

The altruistic committee of the Mercy Circle of King's Daughters, including Mrs. Frank Boone, Mrs. Benjamin Thomas, Mrs. Carl Fletcher and Mrs. B. A. Gramm are planning to fill a number of Christmas baskets to bring cheer to a number of families. A plant will also be sent to the Tuberculosis hospital for the dining room.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Stemen, 424 McDonel-st., entertained Friday evening a number of friends in honor of her brother, Ernest Sears, Bakersfield, Cal. The evening was spent in music and playing cards and later delicious refreshments were served. The rooms were attractive with Christmas suggestions.

Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Starvs, and daughters Leona and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Laman, and daughter, Mary Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Roush, Messrs. Devoe, Umbaugh, Warren Hilliard, Bakersfield, Cal., Misses Ota Wilkins, Miss Estelle Anderson, Miss Cora Wilkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Stemen and son, Dewey Arnold.

"The Christmas Adoration," a cantata by Carrie B. Adams, will be given by the choir of the First United Brethren church, corner of Spring and Union-sts., Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The following will be the program:

1. Angels From the Realms of Glory (Chorus by the Choir.)

2. Hark! The Herald Angels Sing.

Ladies Quartet.)

3. Mesdames Zimmerman, Williams, Barr, Dorothy Powell.

3. White Shepherds Watched.

Chorus by the Choir.

4. Sing, Oh, Sing This Blessed

Morn. Trio (Mrs. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Barr.)

5. Hark! The Glad Sound.

Chorus by the Choir.

6. Joy To The World. Solo and

Hymn tune.

Miss Emma Rupright.

7. All Praise to Thee, Eternal Lord.

Chorus by the Choir.

8. The Shepherd.

Solo Otto Hoffman.

9. O Savior, Precious Savior.

T. E. Powell and Dorothy

Powell, Duet.

10. All Glory, Laud and Honor.

Final Chorus by the Choir.

Mrs. Gail Coon, Organist.

Mrs. Chas. Barr, Choir Leader.

11. Send it to the Laundry.

12. Remember Our Family Laundry Service.

Mrs. T. B. Greene, W. Spring-st. will be hostess to the members of the Arbutus club at her home Monday afternoon.

Miss Betty Atmar will arrive Sunday to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Atmar, W. Wayne-st., during the Christmas holidays. Miss Lulu is a student at the Irving College, Mechanicsburg.

Arthur Shattuck, pianist, will appear at the Memorial Hall, January 10 under the auspices of the Woman's Music Club.

The members of the Beta Sigma Pi sorority will be held Monday evening with Miss Clara Bell, W. Market-st.

Mrs. Carl Komminsk, Jean Court, will entertain the members of the Mentor club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Trinity M. E. church will be held Tuesday afternoon at the church at 2:30 o'clock.

Harold Hawisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hawisher, S. Baxter-st., will arrive Tuesday from Purdue University to visit with his parents.

Miss Ella Timbrelate, W. Market-st., is spending the holidays with relatives in Bradford, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Peters, S. Jameson-ave., have been called to Grand Rapids, Mich., by the death of Mrs. Peter's father.

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Dr. Edwin Kirk, Chicago, will spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Mary Kirk, W. High-st.

Miss George W. Highfield, W. High-st., was hostess to the members of the Utility club with a Christmas affair at her home Friday evening. Christmas suggestions were used effectively in the rooms. In a cleverly arranged contest Miss Melba Holz and Mrs. Kerwin was successful among the members and the guest prize was awarded to Mrs. R. F. Corcoran. Later a two course luncheon was served.

Guests were: Mrs. R. F. Corcoran and daughter, Mary Gertrude, and Mrs. H. H. Hall and daughter, Laura Ruth. Members enjoying the affair were: Mrs. F. Bradbury, Mrs. Eva Sherick, Miss Melba Holz, Mrs. John Holz, Mrs. H. Coffman, Mrs. Eusebe Jones, Mrs. C. Lefler, Mrs. Huggins, Mrs. Charles Chamberlain and daughter, Ruth and Mrs. H. R. Kerwin.

Ira Malone will return Tuesday from Wooster College to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Malone, 303 Lincoln-ave.

The Misses Ethel and Nellie Stiles have come from Ypsilanti, Mich., where they are attending the Michigan State Normal school and Cleary Business college.

Robert T. Gregg will arrive Sunday afternoon from Columbia Military Academy, Columbus, Tenn., and will spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Gregg, W. North-st.

William Wemmer has arrived from the Miami Military Academy, Germantown, to visit with his father, William J. Wemmer, W. Market-st.

The S. C. D. club will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. P. F. Wells, W. Spring-st., Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Doris Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Cook, Fairport-ave, who underwent an operation at the City Hospital Wednesday, is improving.

Miss Susie Cooney has returned from St. Aloysius Academy, New Lexington, to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cooney, 688 W. Market-st., for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bernthisel, W. Spring-st., are spending the week end in Toledo, where they will be the guests of a dinner given for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keith, Long Pine, Neb.

The members of the Shawnee Commandery, No. 14, Knights Templars will entertain with a New Year's party on New Year's Day at 3 o'clock at the Masonic Temple.

The committee in charge of this affair include: R. O. Bigley, Willard B. McClaren, William H. Stolzenbach, Jefferson E. Morris and Frank A. Thomas.

Mrs. James Allis has returned to her home in Grand Rapids, Mich., after visiting here with her mother, Mrs. L. W. Brown, W. Market-st.

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Robert Thompson will arrive Wednesday to be with his mother, Mrs. R. J. Thomas, W. Market-st. Mrs. Thompson is a student at the University of Pennsylvania.

Elizabeth have been called to Findlay by the death of Mr. Thompson's aunt, Mrs. David Allard.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Durbin held high score. Guests other

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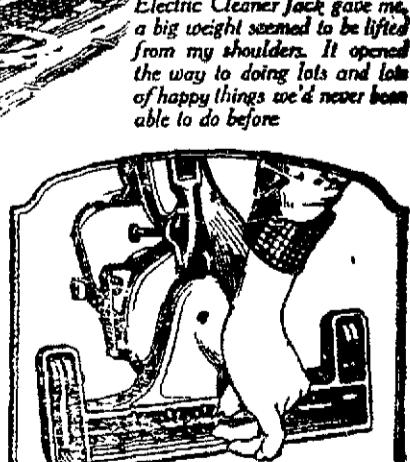
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THE MIDDLE TEMPLE MURDER

BY J. S. FLATCHEL

The lady rummaged in her pocket and produced an old purse, from an inner compartment of which she brought out a small object wrapped in tissue paper.

"Well," she said, unwrapping the paper, "we found this in number 23 this morning—it was lying under the dressing-table. The girl that found it brought it to me, and I thought it was a bit of glass, but Wadsworth, as says as how he shouldn't be surprised if it's a diamond. And, no, we found it to the water who took the whisky up to 20 after Mr. Marbury came in with the other gentleman, he told me that when he went into the room the two gentlemen were looking at a paper full of things like this, so there."

Spargo fingered the shining bit of stone.

"That's a diamond—right enough," he said. "Put it away, Mrs. Wadsworth—I shall see Rathbury presently and I'll tell him about it. Now, that other gentleman! You told us you saw him. Could you recognize him?—mean a photograph of him? Is this the man?"

Spargo knew from the expression of Mrs. Wadsworth's face that he had no more doubt than Webster had.

"Oh, yes!" she said. "That's the gentleman who came in with Mr. Marbury—I should have known him in a thousand. Anybody would recognize him from that—perhaps you'd let our hall-porter and the water I mentioned just now look at it."

"I'll see them separately and see if they've ever seen a man who resembles this," replied Spargo.

The two men recognized the photograph at once, without any prompting, and Spargo, after a word or two with the ladybird, rode off to the Atlantic Club and found Ronald Breton awaiting him on the steps. He made no reference to his recent doings and together they went into the house and asked for Mr. Aylmore.

Spargo looked with more than uncommon interest at the man who presently came to them in the visitor's room. He was already familiar with Mr. Aylmore's photograph, but he never remembered seeing him in real life; the member of Brooklyn's bar was one of that rapidly diminishing body of legislators whose members are disposed to work quietly and unobtrusively, doing yeoman service on committees, obeying every behest of the party whips, without forcing themselves into the lime-light or seizing every opportunity to air their opinions.

Now that Spargo met him in the flesh, he proved to be pretty much what the journal had expected—a rather cold-tempered, self-contained man, who looked as if he had been brought up in a school of rigid repression and taught not to waste words. He showed no more than the merest of languid interest in Spargo when Breton introduced him, and his face was quite expressionless when Spargo blurted out an end to his brief explanation—purposely shortened—of his effort in calling upon him.

"Yes," he said indifferently.

"Now, it is quite true that I let Marbury and spent little time with him on the evening you, informant spoke of. I met him, as he told you in the lobby o' 'e house. I was much surprised to meet him. I had not seen him for—I really don't know how many years."

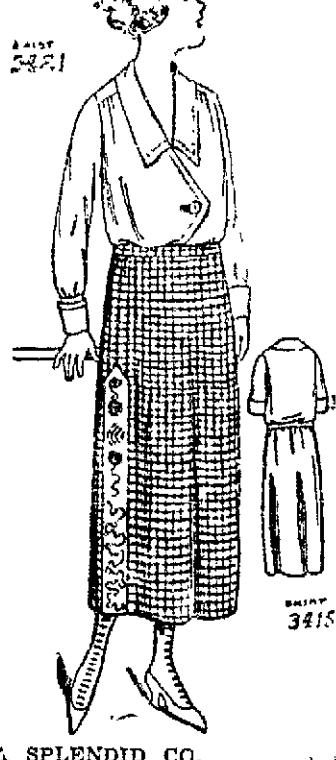
He paused and looked at Spargo as if he was wondering what he ought or ought not to say to a newspaper man. Spargo remained silent, waiting. And presently Mr. Aylmore went on.

"I read your account in the *Watchman* this morning," he said.

"I was wondering, when you called just now, if I would communicate with you or with the police. The fact is—I suppose you will this for your paper, eh?" he continued after a sudden breaking off.

"I shall not print anything that

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you wish me not to print," answered Spargo. "If you care to give me any information."

"Oh, well!" said Mr. Aylmore. "I don't mind." The fact is, I know next to nothing. Mr. ... was man with whom I had some—well, business relations, of a sort, a great many years ago. It must be twenty years—perhaps more—since I lost sight of him. When he came up to me in the lobby by the other night, I had to make an effort of memory to recall him. He wished me, having once met me, to give him one advice, and as there was little doing in the house that night, and as he had once been—almost a friend—I walked to his hotel with him, chattering.

He told us that he had only landed from Australia that morning, and what he wanted my advice about, principally, was—diamonds. Australian diamonds."

"I was unaware," remarked Spargo, "that diamonds were ever found in Australia."

Mr. Aylmore smiled—a little cynically.

"Perh' ps so," he said. "But diamonds have been found in Australia from time to time, ever since Australia was known to Europeans, and in the opinion of experts, they will eventually be found there in quantity. Anyhow, Marbury had got hold of some Australian diamonds, and he showed them to me at his hotel—a number of them. We examined them 'n his room."

"What did he do with them—afterward?" asked Spargo.

"He pu' them in his waistcoat pocket—in a very small wash-leather bag, from which he had taken them. There were in all, sixteen or twenty stones—not more, and they were all small. I advised him to see some expert—I mentioned Streeter's—about them. We examined them 'n his room."

The two young men pricked their ears. Spargo unconsciously tightened his hold on the pen il with which he was making notes.

"He got it from me," continued Mr. Aylmore. "The handwriting on the scrap of paper is mine, hurriedly scrawled. He wanted legal advice.

(Continued Tomorrow.)

HER OWN CAREER

BY PHYLLIS PHILLIPS

THE REQUEST TO POSE

The days following this decision, imagined that girls, girls like herself, lived in such wonderful places. Happy, happy studios, filled with the color that she so loved, and looking always as the they were being lived in. That was it. The girls really lived, as well as worked, in their studios!

Then too, what appealed to her tremorously was the total lack of devotion to time or routine that she saw in the life going on about her. They came and went as they chose worked hard, when they worked, played hard and happily, when they played, and above all observed no midday hours. This, to her, was true freedom. For Gwenda had always chafed at the rigid adherence to time in her own home. She had loathed the punctuality with which her mother invariably set down the noon-day meal and supper. And the eternal six-thirty breakfast, summer or winter. Why should human beings be forced to the table anyhow? Many and many a time she had felt like not eating—or rather many a time she would have preferred to have taken a snack at say eleven in the morning and skipped her dinner. Or gone without her supper, and eaten something later on in the evening, as the fancy moved her. But this was an unpardonable crime in the Channing family, and she had learned to bow to its decrees.

Fern and she ate when they felt like it, gossiping over their self-penned meals, played the victrola at breakfast time, danced it, they chose to get up and dance, and in fact enjoyed themselves thoroughly. It was the sort of life that Gwenda loved, and she was supremely happy.

"Fern," she said, as she and her cousin hurried along, "Fedya Stepanova wants me to pose for him at his studio tomorrow afternoon." He has begged me to do so for the last week, now, and I wonder if—if it would be all right? He is such an artist and such a fine man," she finished dreamily, "I feel as tho' I ought to help him if I can."

"Certainly, it's all right, Gwenda, and Fedya is one of the most promising artists that we have. He admires you, anyone can see that. But Fedya is decent sort, and to be trusted. He will do something wonderful for you, I know. And it will be an experience for you, ma petite."

"Then I'll call him up later and say 'Yes,'" said Gwenda with a happy smile. "Fern, there's something so mysterious about a man like Fedya—I can't express just what I mean, but feel it here, putting her slender hand on her heart, "and it's a new thing to me."

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BY JANE PHELPS

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Now followed a very busy period. Mother say again: "Poor me! The head of our household was very ill, and I, his assistant, had full charge. Naturally Mr. Claxton kept an eye on what went on but, after all, the work and did when Dad was with us, and my lively position now—rather, my lack of any position.

"You are sure it isn't too much for you?" she asked. "I am perfectly well, and the work doesn't hurt me," I replied. "I enjoy it."

He had asked the same question repeatedly, and my replies had all been about the same. It was hard work for a young girl, but I did enjoy every bit of it.

I couldn't tell that I was very tired when night came, and Mother was herself—well, and happy. Aunt Susan fussed over me like a couple of hens with only one chick between them. But in the morning I was fresh and rested, eager to get down and face the day's work.

"That child thrives on hard work," Aunt Susan said, while Mother, as usual, sighed before she replied:

"Poor Zena!" Her life is so different from what I hoped it would be."

"Zena isn't poor at all," I retorted laughing. "She is rich with a sterling Mother and an Aunt. And as for the work, I love it. I wouldn't be half so happy going to parties and tiring myself out dancing as I am in the office. It is great to feel that one amounts to something in the world." But as I left the room,

"If you only had some young companions," she often fretted, "companions of the right sort, it wouldn't be so bad. But Tom and Mary seem the only ones you seem to know or care about."

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"But, Mumsie dear, don't you know that the sort of young people we mean, wouldn't care to work for me, and I would have no time for them if they did. Really, I have ceased to think about the good time I used to have. I did at first when I was ignorant of business, when I worked hard for just bread and butter, and didn't love the work. But now things are so different. I really enjoy my work. I am so happy to know I have made some advancement in a position where it counts. It isn't hard any more. Mother, it's like play to me—especially what I do in the bond department, because I am the bond department, because I am so intensely interested in the work."

"But you get so tired."

"Of course I do! But I would get tired dancing—and doing the other girls' society girls do."

"My only comfort is that you are in such a nice place, and that Mr. Claxton seems to appreciate you."

I often had to laugh at Mother because of her attitude toward my employer. She took all his thoughtful, his kindness, as my due. He appreciated me—rather than my work. She hadn't the slightest idea that he cared at all for me; it was simply that he delighted in having a girl like Zena Stewart, his daughter, in his office. There was no use telling her that had I not done his work satisfactorily I would not have been retained. It did no good, so I tried not to argue with her, yet often

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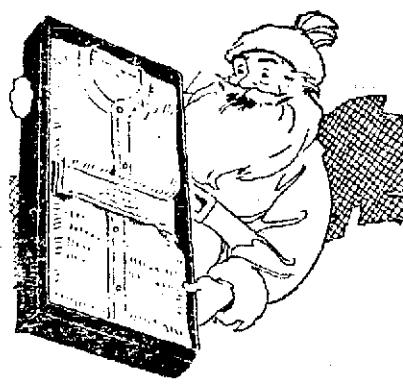
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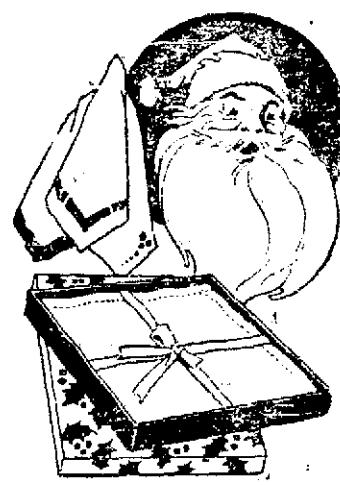
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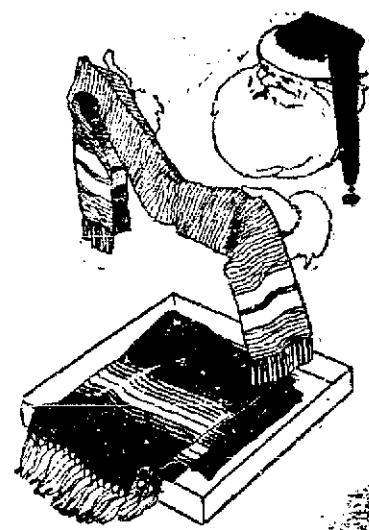
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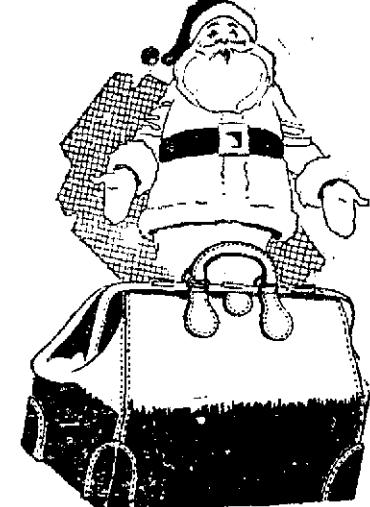
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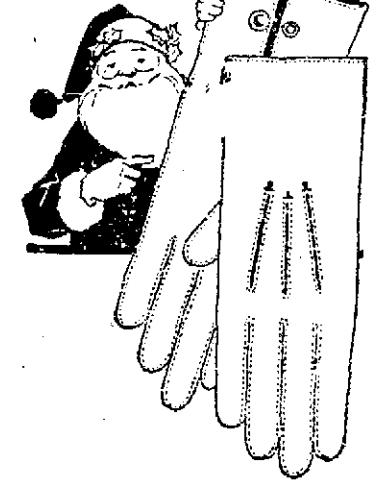
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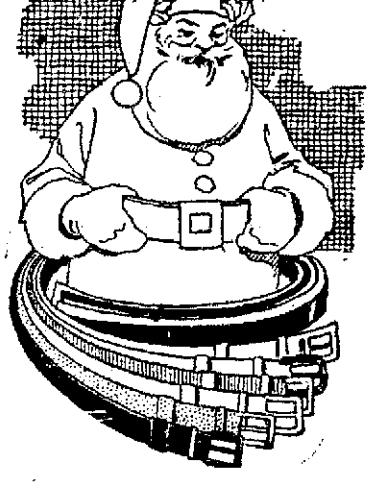
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FEATURE FILMS FOR YULETIDE SEASON IN THE LOCAL MOVIE HOUSES

CHRISTMAS WEEK
AT THEATRESExceptional Features Scheduled
for Lima Audiences.

BIG PRODUCTION SECURED

Special Efforts Made by Man-
agers for Good Plays.(By ESTHER WAGNER.)
A GLANCE at the theatre direc-
tory for today and the entire
Christmas week will convince all
cinema-followers that the features
scheduled to appear at local theatres
are the best to be had.Managers have made special ef-
forts to provide high-class entertain-
ment at the various houses on Christ-
mas Day, and such bright stars as
Alice Joyce, Pearl White, Charles
Ray, H. B. Warner, Anita Stewart,
Violet Heming and Bert Lytell will
be seen on the silver sheet this week.Perhaps the biggest feature for
the first of the week is "While New
York Sleeps" which opens a four-
day engagement today at the Lyric
theatre. This feature has been de-
scribed as a cinemelodrama of life in
the great metropolis and is made up
of three periods. One of the most
gorgeous scenes is that of the Mid-
night Revue, filmed atop the New
Amsterdam Theatre in New York,
thru the special courtesy of Mr.
Ziegfeld. Dolores, said by experts
to be the most perfectly formed
woman in the world, appears in a
dancing scene, and several exquisite
shots of the revelry in the Palais
Royal are shown.A thrilling pistol fight on East
River, within the shadow of the cele-
brated Brooklyn Bridge, between
the New York police boat and a
band of dock thieves, is another of
the sensational incidents of this pic-
ture. Altho the lives of tenement
dwellers, crooks, confidence men
and gamblers are vividly portrayed,

Sigma Theatre today, "The Thief", with Pearl White.

the picture is said to be entirely
free from any luridness.Beginning Thursday, the Lyric
will show "The Play" with Alice
Joyce in the leading role. Mrs.
Joyce's work is a well known factor
in movie circles and "The Play" is
said to be her best work thus far.The RKO theatre announces
"Peaceful Valley" for today and
Monday, while the Sigma theatre
will show "The Thief" with Pearl
White and a competent cast.The Majestic offers dainty Anita
Stewart in the great American
classic "In Old Kentucky." Mahlonand battles between revenue agents
and mountainer moonshiners. They
are fought in the mountain regions,
in the old feudal style, men hiding
behind rocks and bushes. Miss Stew-
art gives a splendid performance,
and her masculine lead, Mr. Mahlon
Hamilton, does exceptional work all
thru the picture. One of the big
scenes in the Kentucky handicap, in
which Madge disguises herself as
jockey and wins the race. Beautiful
scenery is seen thruout the produc-
tion."In Old Kentucky" is appearing
today and tomorrow at the Majestic
theatre.

"EVERYWOMAN"

The exceeding well known cast in
"Everywoman," the Paramount super-
production, includes Violet Hem-
ing a beautiful young English ac-
tress who has won great admiration
by her splendid work. Miss Hem-
ing is not quite twenty years of age.One of the chief requisites for the
cast was beauty, and the producer,
George Melford, gathered together
an array of beauties seldom seen in
one production. Besides Miss Hem-
ing, who plays Youth the cast includes
Miss Margaret Loomis who plays
the role of Truth."Everywoman" is one of the
greatest pictures ever screened and
was most lavishly carried out. The
Royal theatre is featuring the pro-
duction today and for three days.MISS SQUIRES
AT THE SIGMAIn addition to the feature picture,
Manager Deardorff, of the Sigma
theatre, announces that Miss Mar-
jorie Squires, the famous contralto
who charmed hundreds at this the-
atre last week, will remain over
Sunday.Miss Squires has a voice of unusual
power and rare sweetness, and altho
she has studied for only three years,
she has been concertized one of the
greatest contraltos of the country.
Her program of musical selections
for today will be entirely different
from the program she rendered last
week.Louis Metz, cellist, will be fea-
tured today in the cello solo, the an-
dent movement from Glinka's
Third Concerto. Mr. Metz is a mu-
sician of great ability and true artis-
try."While New York Sleeps", William Fox production at Lyric theatre four
days, starting today.LOCAL TALENT
AT ORPHEUMIt will be profitable as well as
pleasurable for Tommy Overholt
and his partner, Miss Young, to
spend Christmas in Lima, their own
home town. This is because the team
of Overholt and Young will be the
headline artists at the Orpheum
theatre for the last half of this week,
which includes Christmas day. Their
engagement at the Orpheum will be
the first time in all the years that
they have been climbing the rungs
of the ladder of vaudeville fame
that they have been headlined in
Lima. They return to their home
city after many brilliant engage-
ments at the leading variety play-
houses of the entire country. Tommy
Overholt is known to practically
every extended resident of Lima and
vicinity. He is one of the most suc-
cessful and talented comedians of
the vaudeville stage.

MAJESTIC

TODAY AND TOMORROW

WHOOPEE

THE MAMMOTH SHOW IS HERE

'IN OLD KENTUCKY'

Featuring
ANITA STEWART

Directed by Marshall Neilan

COMEDY

TOPICS OF TODAY

NO ADVANCE IN PRICES



FOUR DAYS STARTING

TODAY

THE SCREEN'S GREATEST CINEMELODRAMA

LYRIC
THE NIGHT HAS A THOUSAND EYES;
THE DAY HAS BUT ONE—Behind the Scenes of a Great City, Drawn Curtains on night
Life When Globes Glow and Shadows Hide Those That Lurk.The Mightiest Screen Melodrama of All Time. A Picture of
night Life in the Lights and Shadows of the Great Metropolis. As
Titanic as the Great City Itself.WHILE NEW
YORK SLEEPS
The greatest human drama of the ageDo you want to see the New York sky-line, the Gay White Way, the Midnight Frolic beauty girls, the world-famous Dolores, the shapeliest
woman in the world, the Brooklyn Bridge, the famous New York police boat in action, the millionaires' homes, an entire dance number from
Florenz Ziegfeld's "Midnight Frolic", East River? You'll see them in this picture, "While New York Sleeps". It will thrill and amaze you
as no other picture has done. Please come early and avoid standing.Mr. Louis H. Goodman, Director of the Lyric Symphony Orchestra has arranged a
Special score for this picture.

RAY FILM AGAIN
AT RECENT

"Peaceful Valley" Playin' a Return Engagement

"THE THIEF" AT THE SIGMA

Strong Programs at Both Theatres latter Part of Week.

(By ESTHER WAGNER)

ALTHO the feature picture "Peaceful Valley" was seen and appreciated by hundreds of movie fans a few weeks ago, the Regent theatre assures that it will show the film again today and Monday. Harry Ray has never had a better role than he has in this production. Is inimitable humor and style of comic, evident throughout the picture and the supporting cast is perfect.

Unusual advertising will be the Regent's program for the last five days of the week, beginning Thursday, when a double program will be shown.

Mack Sennett's first real comic "Love, Honor and Behave" with Pauline Fox and Fred Steele again appears in a program for these five days. The story opens in a court room with the "edge" (Charles Murray) as the defense. The situation leaves much original humor, and the production is said to be the funniest farce picture Mack Sennett has in far produced. "Marjorie's" is a splendid example of Mr. Sennett's work, but in "Love, Honor and Behave" we have an entirely new and original plot, combining with some of the best humor he can be very interested.

The other half of the double program "The Thief" is to be the "Uncharted Channels" with Henry B. W. as a black-leading character.

Entertainment themes of the week are "The Thief" and "The Great Allaire," when the latter assure with roles calling for dress suits and private dresses a modest decoration. Come



Charles Ray in "Peaceful Valley", at the Regent.

Movie Directory

AT THE LYRIC:

Today, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, "While New York Sleeps" with an all-star cast including Estelle Taylor and Marc McDermott. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Alice Joyce in "The Prey."

AT THE SIGMA:

Today, Monday and Tuesday, Pearl White in "The Thief." Wednesday and Thursday, "Hearts and Trumps" with an all-star cast. Friday and Saturday, Bert Lytell in "The Misleading Lady."

AT THE REGENT:

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AT THE MAJESTIC:

Today and Monday, Anita Stewart in "Old Kentucky." Tuesday and Wednesday, Charles Ray in "The Girl Dodger." Thursday only, Harry Carey in "Blue Streak McCoy." Friday and Saturday, Bert Lytell in "Alas, Jimmy Valentine."

AT THE ROYAL:

Today, Monday and Tuesday, a Paramount-Aircraft special, "Everywoman" with Violet Heming, Margaret Loomis and an all-star cast.

ORPHEUM BILL FOR THE WEEK

The Sigma's program for the week opens with "The Thief," starring Pearl White. Since her entrance into dramatic features, Miss White has met with unprecedented success and while she has always enjoyed great popularity as a serial queen, her new film work has won many new admirers. Under her work in "The Thief" has been to her what stock

bill of six big-time features for the first half of this Christmas week at the Orpheum theatre.

There are five persons in the Orrin Davenport Troupe. Three of these are beautiful young women, who perform many dazzling feats of skill and danger. The others are men—one, Orrin Davenport, himself, monarch of all circus horsemen; the other is a riding clown, who, he performs continuous laughter, takes his life into his hands many times.

The offering of the Davenport Troupe is gowned with dazzling brilliancy, who invariably win splendid applause. Mason and Bailey will offer "Fun in the Misleading Lady."

Surrounding the Orrin Davenport Troupe are five other acts of transcending merit. Knight and June are expected to win instant favor and score an outstanding hit as "Itubes of 1940." They are said to create variable storms of laughter. Miller and Smith are eccentric comedians who invariably win splendid applause. Mason and Bailey will offer "Fun in the Misleading Lady."

It is one of the biggest and most spectacular attractions ever brought to Lima. The troupe comes to the Orpheum direct from triumphant appearances at all of the leading theatres of the big cities of the east.

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LITTLE ALLEY THEATER ROUSES NEW YORKERS

Stages Play that Has Such Run that Move to Larger House Is Necessary—Statement of News Critic Concerning Converted Barns Borne Out

"Heartbreak House" Testing Capacity of Garrick—The Beggar's Opera Promises to be Unique Offering—Gotham Play Criticism

By FREDERICK F. SCHRADER.

NEW YORK.—The kind reader of this will indulge my vanity if I recall what I said a few weeks ago about theatrical art which has its birth in a converted barn in some semi-respectable alley. It was stated that if you wanted to get something out of the usual you had to go into recondite corners of the metropolis, or that the would-be produced or something artistic without the inevitable happy ending was driven to barns and alleys. And here is a concrete example to prove my thesis.

There is a little band which calls itself the Provincetown Players modestly holding forth in what used to be called Macdougal-st. It is now referred to as Macdougal-st because of the enhanced respectability of the change, and the theatre is a modest one, and not large nor pretentious. They staged a one-act play entitled "The Emperor Jones" by James O'Neill. The critics described it as an obsession, but some with a keener appreciation of what is unique and powerful and thrilling albeit normal, said it was the one thing in town to move you out of your self-complacency and sit at attention.

It deals with a fear-crazed negro seeking to escape a pursuing tribe of natives bent on his destruction. He has been their ruler for two years self-elected. They at last have found out that he has prayed upon their superstition and has cheated and lied to them. He has come to the end of his power and starts for the coast to make his escape. His courage begins to flag. Ghostly forms appear to haunt him. He prays to his Baptist god for protection and staggers on. His ammunition is spent and to his terror he discovers that he has been walking in a circle. Nearer and nearer approaches the sound of the tom-toms. The savages close in on him and riddle him with silver bullets.

That is the simple tale of "The Emperor Jones," but it has something virily weird and fantastic, and the audience stays to applaud, and it applauds the negro actor, Charles S. Gilpin, who gives a crude but dramatic and quite remarkable performance in the part of the terror-stricken emperor. There are eight changes in the one act, which tend to break the suspenseful interest, notwithstanding which it forms a concise and thoroly impressive entertainment.

And now it develops that the play has made such a hit that it is to be moved up town in order to meet the demand of a much larger clientele of theatregoers who have found the Macdougal-st. playhouse too small to accommodate them. Beginning next week it will be seen at a series of matinees at one of the Times Square theatres. A complete new set of scenes to fit the new environment of the production has to be provided.

The new Shaw play, "Heartbreak House," produced by the Theatre Guild, also is testing the capacity of the Garrick theatre and embarrassing the management as to how its list of subscribers may be satisfied as to the contractual change of program stipulated in the bond. It is casting about for another playhouse to enable it to get a new play ready for its regular patrons.

Quite the most unique novelty on the season promises to be the production Christmas night of "The Beggar's Opera," that sign-post in English stage history, almost two centuries old. The opera was written by John Gay in 1728. The first time I am able to find it in America is in a production which took place at the first Nassau-st. Theater, New York, on January 14, 1751, at a benefit for Thomas Keene, the English actor, who seems to have been able to act Richard III and sing selections from an oratorio. This ancient playhouse was a two-storyed building with high gables. The



Violet Heming in "Everywoman", a Paramount-Aircraft picture at the Royal three days, beginning today.

stage was raised five feet from the floor. The scenes, curtains and wings were all carried by the managers in their "property trunks."

A green curtain was suspended from the ceiling. A pair of paper screens erected upon the left and right hand sides for wings. Six wax lights were in front of the stage. The orchestra consisted of a German flute, horn and drum players. Suspended from the ceiling was the chandelier, made of barrel hoop, thru which were driven half a dozen nails, into which were stuck so many candles. Two drop scenes, representing a castle and a wood, bits of landscape, river and mountain, comprised the scenery. The last time "The Beggar's Opera" was presented in New York was on December 5, 1870, at a matinee performance at Wood's Museum and Menagerie, afterwards at the Broadway Theatre and finally Daly's which passed away this year.

The version to be presented here

With "Daddy Dumpling" it will be

in the eventful year of 1920. Just

forty years later, has been provided

with additional scenes by Arnold

Bennett and Nigel Playfair, and with

new settings of the altars and additional music by Frederick Austin.

It was produced last spring at the

Lovis Theater, Hummersmith, Lon-

don, as a special diversion only, but

developed into a powerful success.

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NEWS FROM NEAR BY TOWNS

COLUMBUS GROVE

Judge and Mrs. Blanton of Lima were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rector and family. Mr. and Mrs. Culp were in McComb last Thursday visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Gertrude Miller, who is attending business college at Erie, Pa., returned home last Thursday for a couple weeks vacation.

Mrs. Jacob Allen and daughter Pauline and Mr. John Duvivier were in Lima last Thursday.

Miss Leona Miller of Spencerville was a guest of Miss Bessie Rees last Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Stinko, spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Jim Givens.

Mrs. Harry Busch and Mrs. James Maple were in Lima last Thursday.

Mr. H. H. Stinko and daughter Bessie attended the annual Christmas party.

The funeral of Ernest Blum was held at the residence last Tuesday afternoon.

Those attending from out-of-town were A. S. Eedes of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. George Eedes at 1 Mrs. W. H. Quinn of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Tracy, daughter Dein and Mrs. Clark Redington, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Miller of Lima.

Mrs. Perry Bennett was ill last Sunday to Bushville, Ind., because of the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. John Morris.

Mrs. Emma Osgar left for Wimark, where she will spend the winter with her son Scrutius, you and family.

Miss Edna Reiger entertained Miss Mary Munguia of Lima at the home of B. F. St. Ge, Jr., Sunday.

Miss Anuary Frasher returned home last Friday after a week's visit with relatives in New Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shiras of Lima are visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lora, of Oaklawn.

were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Magher.

Mrs. Elvissor Schaffer is recovering rapidly after a serious operation and returned home last Saturday from Lima Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frost, returned to their home at New Haven, last Tuesday after several weeks' visit with their mother Mrs. M. M. Curry who accompanied them home to spend the winter.

Last Saturday Mrs. Edith Sterling called to Toledo because of the serious illness of Mrs. Jean P. Vaff.

She remained at Toledo until her mother passed the same night at eleven o'clock. Mrs. Sterling returned with them to Ottawa Sunday.

KENTON

Quaint Indian and Polynesian costumes were affected by the members of the Minerva Club when they went to the home of Mr. A. G. Milford on Monday.

The occasion was their annual Puritan party.

Mrs. Hazel Castle, the bride-elect was delightedly entertained Saturday evening by Mrs. Mitchell daughter, Mrs. Carl Woodell of Seneca Creek, N. Y., a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Lewis.

Mrs. J. Stinko, of Lima, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Japikse, spent a few days with Spencerville relatives.

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SPENCERVILLE

The D. and S. club met with Mr. Harry Baker Friday afternoon, with an indoor program.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Clara Cook, December 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Probst of Westover, Maryland, arrived in Spencerville Wednesday. They will make their home on a farm north of town.

Mrs. C. J. Hane was Sunday guest of Delphine Friend.

Miss Katharine Kennedy was at Celina Sunday attending the district Eworth League conference.

Mrs. Catherine Haiger left Tuesday morning for Loup City, Nebraska, where the winter months will be spent with her son Carl Haiger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Nickerson entertained her sister, Mrs. Mary Probst, of Toledo and her brother John Smith and family of Delphine, also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mandaric, and Alexander Frank.

Mr. William Mees is spending this week with his husband and mother at Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and daughter Pearl and Minnie were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Dora Shebe and family.

Clara Coll of Bixby, Okla., is spending a few weeks with Spencerville relatives and friends.

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MIDDLEPOINT

Mr. Ernest Fox and daughter Mildred were guests of Mrs. S. D. Richel Wednesday afternoon.

Mary Shewalter and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kester and family were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Miller.

Miss Nellie Heck spent Sunday 11th Day with her parents.

Miss Mable Gaborn, was the hostess of the Ridge township Progressive club, Friday at her home west of town.

A picnic luncheon was followed by an election of officers for the club.

Mr. John Emery was a business caller in Van Wert Saturday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Clark and Ordie Coombs were callers in Van Wert Friday evening.

Charles Wolfe spent Saturday in Ft. Wayne.

Harold Summersett was a business caller here Friday.

Mrs. Frank Bell and daughter Genevieve were business callers in Lima Thursday.

Mrs. Moses Coombs, Ordie and Harry Coombs and Pauline Clark spent Saturday in Van Wert.

Edward Allen was a business caller in Van Wert Saturday afternoon.

A high school party was held at the home of Mrs. Loy Johnson Friday night.

Mrs. John Kettner was removed to the Van Wert Hospital Monday.

Miss and Mrs. Charles Wolfe and family have moved to the Swamp property.

Luther Moller was a business caller in Van Wert Friday.

Mrs. James Seitz was affected by a stroke of paralysis Wednesday.

Mr. Stemen of Lima was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stemen Tuesday.

Class meeting of the Gleaners of the Methodist church was held at the home of Miss Edna Coon Wednesday evening.

Miss Madeline Stemen called on Mrs. Dave Harshman and daughter Mildred Saturday.

Miss Francis Blinkley spent Wednesday in Van Wert.

The Epworth League held a meeting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Clutes Friday night.

Miss Carrie Jackson and Miss Ruby Davis were callers of Miss Madeline Stemen Sunday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Clark was the Sunday guest of Miss Ordie Coombs.

CRIDERSVILLE

The Pastore club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Robert DeLong. They enjoyed a fine program after which a grab-bag followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whites of Findlay spent Monday with Mr. Seymour Brandt at Findlay.

Mrs. Fred Shirer and Mrs. William Reichelderfer made a business trip to Lima Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldar Buffenberger of Waynesfield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Dotson and daughter Mildred.

Mrs. Sylvia Schaeffer of the Lima City hospital spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. J. H. Schaeffer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fischer of Cleveland spent a few days this week with Mrs. Joe Schaeffer.

The Ladies Aid of the U. C. church will hold a bake sale at Sheely's Meat market, December 24.

Mrs. Birthy Bear of Lima spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Smith Bear.

Many men are out of work owing to the shut down of The Garford plant.

Mary Ford and family took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shuler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Dotson spent Wednesday with her sister Mrs. Irma Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Reichelderfer spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Reichelderfer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Danner will leave Monday to enjoy the sunny south in Florida. They expect to stay till April.

Mrs. Sarah Riedhold spent the weekend with her son Romeo Shirer of Lima.

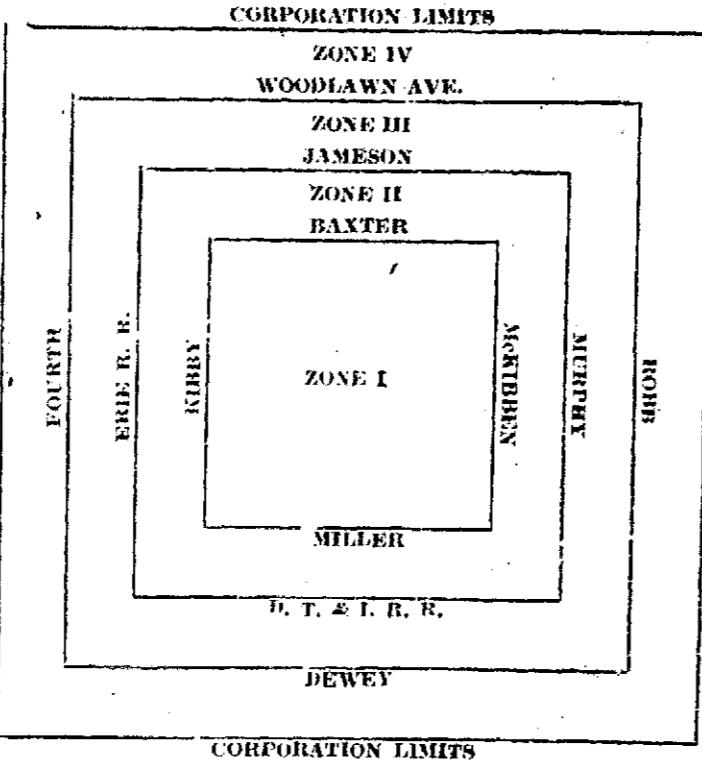
Miss Tressa Barton and Mrs. D. F. Barton went on a business trip to Lima Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Myers of Kansas City who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Boyce left for Greensburg Pa.

Miss Julia Barton and Mrs. Laurette Mahon spent the weekend with friends in Lima.

Taxicab Prices Drop!

THE LIMA TAXI CO.
Announces the Following Schedule of Prices to Take Effect Saturday, December 18, 1920.



ZONE I—35c for 1 Passenger or 50c for 2 Passengers

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ZONE IV—75c for 1 or \$1.00 for 2 Passengers

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When you have a nice sum of money next Christmas you will thank us for giving you a SYSTEM for banking REGULARLY.

This will make life a FINANCIAL SUCCESS. Later on you will put BIG AMOUNTS in our bank.

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REALTY DEALS IN RETROSPECT

MARKET HINTS FOR MRS. LIMA

Realtors Make Mental Resume of Year's Activities.

BUSINESS SLOW AT PRESENT

Values Have Increased and Building Boom Looms.

Lima real estate dealers are now beginning to look back over what has been done the past year, while present deals seem to be few and far between.

Realtors generally say that real estate values in the city have increased at least from 25 to 50 per cent the past year, while business properties have gone upward 25 per cent.

It is noted that the business district has made big strides during the past year, from the standpoint of more stabilized stores, and the general appearance of the business section.

Looking back over the past year, realtors have noticed that the trend of residential purchases is westward.

The increase in property values is attributed largely to increased population, municipal improvements and the locating here of many new industries, employing practically all skilled workers.

BUILDING COSTS HIGH

Due to high price of building materials and the acute shortage, rents have been much higher than at any other year. The decrease in building of homes is attributed to the high cost of materials and the scarcity of work.

Aside from a few small real estate deals in Lima the past week and several larger ones, the realtors had a quiet week. This time of the year they always expect a lull, and do not believe that business will pick up before late in January or the first of February.

By spring, the say, with lumber and building materials lower, much building will be started and a general rally will result in all branches of the real estate trade.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

D. R. Jacobs and wife to D. S. Early and daughter, Mrs. Ethel G. Jacobs, in lot 1152, Fred Root addition to Lima, \$1.

Elmer T. Webb and wife to Tenshaw Gravel Company, in lot 687, Baxter's addition to Lima, \$1.

John H. Judkins to Elizabeth Good, lot 301 and 302, Bredick's addition to Delphos, tax \$1. (Quit claim add.)

George R. Biddle to George W. Hydgen and others, trustees of second-st. M. E. church, lot 4300, Jane W. Holmes' addition to Lima, tax \$350.

John Hawlins to John Stipp and wife, 124 Water-st, 23 feet off west end of outlet st. and vacated alley, tax \$350.

Luella Baxter to B. D. Myers, 9 acres, Marion-tp, \$15,560.

Lima Home and Savings association to Edgar Steiner, lot 3474, ex of lots 3480 and 3481, Lima, ex \$1,50.

C. W. Baxley, county sheriff, to A. Dunn, lot 662, Lima, \$4,000.

Steve L. Parks to Charles L. Nappan, lot 5424, tax \$5.

Peter Bork to Jon Betschen, five acres, Highland-tp, \$6,170.

Harry F. Mericle to John A. Walker, 90-22 acres of land, Marion-tp, tax \$7,50.

Elizabeth Hullinger to E. A. Bryan, in lots 1241 and 1242, Lima, tax 50 cents.

W. A. Harmer to F. A. Bryan, in lot 7022, Lima, tax \$2,50.

Morna B. Steinmeier to Agnes E. O'malley, in lot 5370, Lima, tax 50 cents.

MARSHALL FIELD REVIEW

Marshall Field and Company, in their weekly review of the wholesale trade, say:

Current wholesale distribution of dry goods was less than for the corresponding week of last year.

Most salesmen are in the house or their annual visit, but business is immediate delivery from those in out is gratifying volume.

There were more merchants in the market and there were more all orders than for the corresponding week of last year.

Retail merchants report very good business.

Collections are not up to the standard of the corresponding week last year.

STOCKS AGAIN ON DOWN TREND

Food Shares and Oils Lead the Market Issues

MENU HINT	
Breakfast	Bacon
Fried Mush	Coffee
Lunchmeat	Cinnamon Toast
Hot Chocolate	Sliced Bananas
Dinner	Veal Chops
Mashed Potatoes	Peas
Prune Cake with Whipped Cream	Coffee
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(Courtesy of the Wheatley Co.)	

Here is a menu for Monday to which no one should object. Corn meal may be had for 18 cents a sack. Bacon sells at 40 and 60 cents a pound.

Bananas are selling at 12 cents a pound. Veal chops sell at 33 and 35 cents a pound. Peas range from 15 to 20 cents a can. Whipped cream may be had for 30 cents a half pint.

PRODUCE REVIEW

(By Swift and Co.)

Butter prices steadied during the last week. Lower prices being asked by retailers have increased consumption. The cooler weather also has made better trading and the supply continues heavier than during the same period last year.

Poultry prices at consuming centers have shown some weakness, in line with lower prices on other food products. The movement from the farms, however, has been normal at steady prices. Prospects are that the demand for dressed poultry will be only moderate for some time.

Fresh eggs are moving in larger quantities throughout the country, due to the mild weather, and with prospects being recorded by most of the leaders. Exceptions included: Horner Oil which recovered a part of Friday's setback and Crucible Steel which was fairly steady. Hams were irregular, grangers resuming their reactionary course. Foreign exchange was heavy, rates on London falling back sharply.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

Reported by E. W. Wagner & Company.

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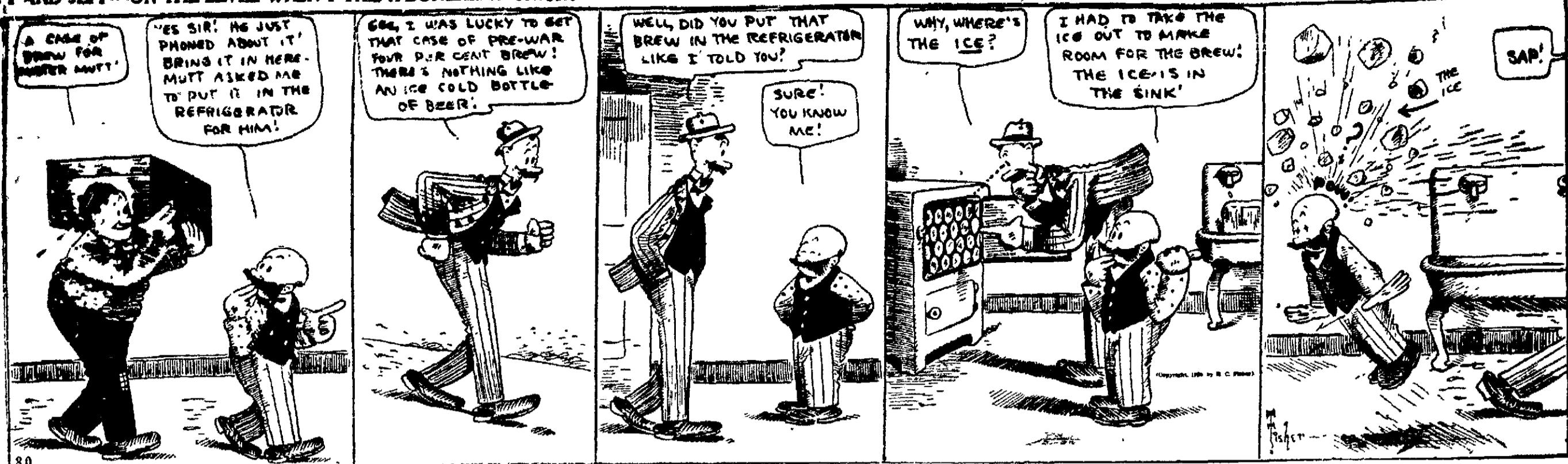
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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10.

MUTT AND JEFF - ON THE LEVEL WASN'T THIS A BONEHEAD TRICK?

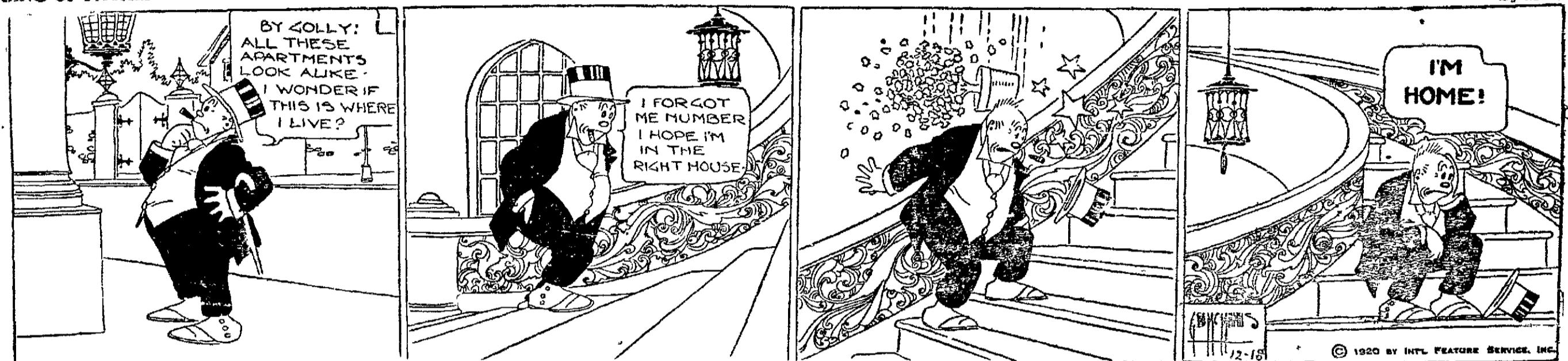
THE LIMA NEWS & TIMES DEMOCRAT

By BUD Clegg



BRINGING UP FATHER

By McMANUS



SHORT SHAVINGS

Wealth had carried Mrs. Nurich into excited circles of which she hardly dared even to dream. At a big dinner party she was being shown the glories of an ancestral

home. "I do so like moving up so," she said. "I'm going to get a nice little wife. I'll have a cozy home, well-cooked meals, my slippers ready for me when I get home at night, my pipe always handy to me, and peace and contentment for the rest of my days."

You never ought to marry."

"Why not?"

"Well when a man has a dream like that he ought not to risk waking up."

Two Highlanders stood looking at the imposing facade of a building in Westminster. The cornerstone bore the date in Roman characters "MCMX."

"Aye, like a' that, Angus," said one. "Ab's never heard 'em."

"My, before, but there's a Scotsman

who's got his name in one o' th' finest buildings in London. Ye can't keep 'em down, can ye?"

At a mess dinner the conversation turned on a' that."

"Ab," said Major Binks, "I remember when I was at Boggley-vaugh I turned an oyster. He u-

"I w' all over the house like

a dog. He would sit on the table

at my side with his shell opened

and my hat—most affectionate

little creature."

"Have you still got him, major?"

asked the doubting auditor.

"No sir, he came to an untimely

end. A friend of mine came into

the dining room in my absence, saw

the oyster with his shell open and

swallowed him. I shall never have

another pet," said the major, with

a sigh.

No doubt your friend found it

easier to swallow the oyster," said

the colonel, "than we do the story."

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